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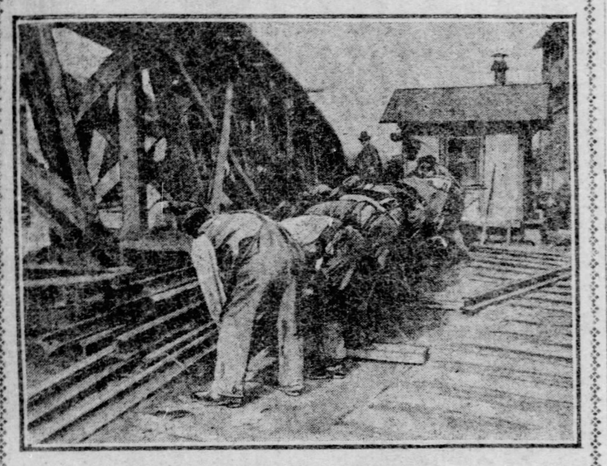
MORE THAN TWENTY LIVES LOST AT SEA — PLACE HUNTERS ALARM CITIZENS

PILING UP LONG-USED STEEL RAILS.



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Committees have been appointed for the annual Episcopal Church Home fair to be held at the home in Penn avenue, Lawrenceville, May 14.—Page 10.

The Woman's clubs gave a dairy tea yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Anthony W. Smith, Jr., in the East End, instead of the annual rose fete.—Page 10.

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Electric and Pittsburgh Coal the only active stock in the local markets.—Page 12.

THE WEATHER.

Fair.

Fair conditions today and cloudy weather tomorrow are predicted for Pittsburgh and vicinity. Yesterday was the most beautiful day so far this spring. The sun rose clear at 4.53 and set clear at 7.01 yesterday. The daily report for yesterday, furnished by the local weather office, follows:

Time.	Baro.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind.	Weather.
8 a. m.	30.25	47	67	S.E.	Clear
8 p. m.	30.17	63	30	E.	Clear

Comparative temperature and precipitation for May 5:

	1902	1901		1902	1901
Maximum	78	78	Mean	71	61
Minimum	64	44	Precipitation	.02	0

Max. tem. 4 p. m. 67 | Ex. since Jan. 1... 333
Min. tem. 6 a. m. 40 | Nor. precip. 31 yrs. .11
Mean tem. 54 | Precip. for day 0
Nor. tem. 31 yrs. 60 | Defcy for day .11
Defcy tem. for day 6 | Defcy since May 1. .38
Defcy since May 1. 30 | Ex. since Jan 1. 1.07

Government Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—Forecast:

Western Pennsylvania—Fair Wednesday; Thursday increasing cloudiness; light, variable winds.

Ohio—Showers in west, fair in east portion Wednesday; Thursday showers and cooler; fresh east to southeast winds becoming northwest.

West Virginia—Fair Wednesday; Thursday showers.

Observations taken at weather bureau station at 8 p. m.:

Columbus	64 Clear	Indianapolis	66 Cloudy
Cincinnati	66 Cloudy	Kansas City	62 Clear
Louisville	68 Cloudy	Washington	62 Clear
Des Moines	60 Clear	New Orleans	72 Cloudy
Chicago	64 PtCldy	Philadelphia	58 Clear
Oklahoma	62 Cloudy	St. Paul	58 Clear
Cairo	64 Cloudy	Bismarck	62 Clear
St. Louis	62 Rain	Helena	62 Clear
Vicksburg	72 Cloudy	Omaha	62 PtCldy
New York	60 PtCldy	Salt Lake	66 Clear
Buffalo	56 Clear	Denver	66 PtCldy
Marquette	40 PtCldy		

MEMORY IS REFRESHED IN DUNGEON

St. Louis Boodle Grand Jury Brings Recalcitrant Witness to Time.

SHUT UP IN DARK

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

St. Louis, May 5.—Maj. Emmett Newton of Springfield, a member of the governor's staff and active in politics, pondered in darkness and solitude for nearly an hour today on the uncertainties of life.

Maj. Newton appeared before the grand jury in the boodle inquiry and sat down to await his turn. The wait seemed long and he decided to risk a trip across the street to a refreshment establishment. No sooner had he left the Four Courts than the jury decided that it wanted him right away. Search was made, but the deputy sheriffs found him not. The grand jury ordered an attachment issued for the missing warrior. Then Newton drifted in, just in time to save himself from arrest.

When he was questioned his statements did not tally with the statements of other witnesses. Maj. Newton is a close friend and ally of Col. William H. Phelps, of Missouri Pacific lobby fame, and is supposed to know something of what transpired at Jefferson City last winter. But his memory was faulty or his information defective.

The grand jury's already ruffled patience gave out entirely after an hour of this kind of examination, and they sent the witnesses into a small dark room where incorrigible witnesses have been sent before. It was here that Senator Farris saw a great light several weeks ago and other notables have had their minds illumined by solitary meditation. The result was entirely satisfactory in Newton's case, for he returned to the grand jury room with mind much refreshed and his examination was soon concluded.

THANKSGIVING TURKEY, GREENBACK STUFFING

Missing Husband and Father Sends Cheerful Surprise to Astonished Family.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, May 5.—Stuffed with 100 $1 bills was a turkey received today by Mrs. E. C. Adams of Morristown, N. J. The gift came from Mr. Adams, who had been mysteriously missing for seven months. Its stuffing was discovered when the wife started to prepare the fowl for dinner, and it will be used to pay the passage of the Adams family to Siste Lakes, Mich., where the head of the house now resides.

Just before Thanksgiving times were dull and the outlook for a Thanksgiving dinner was slim. Adams left the house and said he would not return until he brought a turkey with him. From that time all trace of him was lost.

The bird was eaten tonight and tomorrow the Michigan journey will be begun.

C. P. GRENEKER.

CLASH OF AUTHORITY.

Auditor General Says Treasurer Must Pay Salary Warrants if Properly Drawn.

HARRISBURG, May 5.—(Special)—Evidently State Treasurer Harris' statement that he will not allow state officials and judges throughout Pennsylvania the increase in their salaries made by the last legislature until authorized to do so by Attorney General Carson was made without consultation with Auditor General Hardenbergh.

At the auditor general's department it was said today that the state treasurer has no discretion in the honoring of warrants properly made upon him by the auditor general for the payment of the salaries of state officials and judges.

It is maintained that no matter what the decision of the attorney general may be in regard to the increased salaries of the judges and officials now in commission, the state treasurer cannot decline to pay out money on properly drawn warrants.

SEA DISASTER CAUSED BY FOG

Each Vessel Hears Whistle of Other Before Collision.

MORE THAN 20 DROWN

Lifeboat Carrying Fifteen Colored Women Swamped and All Are Lost.

SAGINAW WAS CUT IN TWO

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

Norfolk, Va., May 5.—A collision at sea that cost the lives of 20 or more persons and the sinking of the Clyde steamship Saginaw by the Old Dominion Steamship Company's liner Hamilton occurred between Winter Quarter lightship and Fenwick island lightship, on the Virginia coast, at 4:40 o'clock this morning.

The Hamilton left New York yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock for Norfolk, and the Saginaw passed out the Virginia capes at 9 o'clock last night, bound from Richmond and Norfolk for Philadelphia. A dense fog settled along the coast shortly after nightfall and while going through this fog at reduced speed the Hamilton crashed into the Saginaw's side about 20 feet from the stern.

The scene of the collision is about 13 or 14 miles off the shore and between 180 and 200 miles south of New York and between 125 and 140 miles north of Norfolk.

The fog whistles of both vessels were distinctly heard for several minutes before the collision occurred.

SPEED GREATLY REDUCED.

According to Capt. Boaz of the Hamilton his ship was making about nine miles an hour and the Saginaw about ten. The fog was so thick that objects a ship's length away were invisible and when the two crafts hove in sight of each other, bow on, there was but a moment's interim before they met.

There was consternation among the passengers of the Old Dominion ship and the first thought was for their safety, but so soon as it was discovered that the ship was uninjured save that some bow plates were stove in all efforts were directed to the rescue of those on the Saginaw.

When the Saginaw was again sighted her stern was under water and her bow was high in the air. Panic-stricken people rushed over her decks and scrambled toward the bow. Life-boats were lowered and into the first 15 colored women were placed according to Second Officer W. L. Morris, who was in command.

The boat was swamped as it struck the water, and its occupants were thrown into the sea. All were drowned save the second officer and the colored stewardess. The latter died before the small boat reached the Hamilton.

TOPMASTS ALONE VISIBLE.

Before the life-boats of the Hamilton had reached the Saginaw the latter had disappeared beneath the waves, and nothing but her topmasts were visible. To these several men were clinging, one of whom was the aged captain, J. S. Tunnell. When he was taken off it was found that he had suffered severe if not serious internal injuries.

The Hamilton hovered around the scene of the wreck for more than an hour, but no sign of life could be seen among the mass of floating freight. Two bodies, one of a man and the other of a woman, both clad only in night dress, were observed drifting between bales of cotton and cases of goods.

The crew of the Saginaw numbered 26. From the officers of the Clyde company here, the following list of passengers was obtained:

FOUR FROM PENNSYLVANIA.

E. B. Cole, J. Trevor and R. B. Younghead, Chester, Pa., all white, and George B. Hood, Philadelphia; H. F. Winters, Camden, N. J.; Mary A. Sanderson, Windsor, N. C.; Norris Payner, Northwest, Va.; John Reese, Norfolk; Miller Pennel, Norfolk; Judson Seville, Berkeley, Va.; David Roland, Newport News; Mary Robertson, Florence Newby, Edna Ward, M. E. Jones, P. L. Pendleton, M. A. Gilmore, S. Jernigan, all colored.

Those known to be lost are:

Passengers—A. Gilmore, P. L. Pendleton, Florence Newby, Edna Ward, M. E. Jones, Mary Robertson.

Crew—Edward Goslee, first mate; William Bittles, first assistant engineer; Mary Anderson, stewardess; Charles Cook, William Morris, steward; unknown colored waiter.

Peter Swanson, a lame member of the crew, is among the missing.

Just how many of the above passengers were included in the 15 that were lost in the swamped life-boat cannot be determined as yet.

A number of the passengers left Richmond Sunday on the Saginaw, and until the list of these is secured it will be impossible to secure an accurate estimate of the dead.

The known saved from the Saginaw are: Capt. J. S. Tunnell, badly injured about the head and internally, also two ribs broken; Chief Engineer Selzer, Second Assistant Engineer Murrey, Second Mate W. L. Morris, several colored deckhands, firemen and coal passers.

PASSENGERS SAVED.

The passengers saved are: E. B. Cole, Philadelphia, who lost a purse containing $700 and a large diamond stud; J. Trevor, Philadelphia; R. B. Younghead, Chester, Pa.; George B. Hood, Philadelphia; Harry F. Winters, Camden, N. J.; Mary A. Sanderson, Windsor, N. C.; Merris Payner, Jr., Northwest, Va.; John Reese, Norfolk; Miller Pennell, Norfolk;

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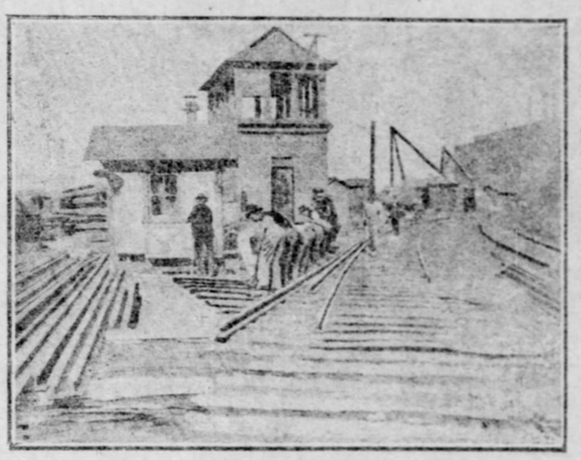
RAPIDLY TEARING UP TRACKS.



Demolition of Old Connection Between the Fort Wayne and West Penn in Allegheny.

ALLEGHENIANS OVERJOYED BY FORT WAYNE ELEVATION

Not in years have Alleghenians watched with interest such work as is being done in the abolition of the grade crossings at Federal, Sandusky and Anderson streets by the elevation of the Fort Wayne tracks. The temporary structure connecting the West Penn and Fort Wayne lines is about finished and wormen were busy yesterday lifting the old tracks. On either side of Federal street the rails were torn up yesterday and now the pedestrian and trolley rider cross the right of way without the necessity of looking out for safety gates. Conductors and motormen think their lives have been lengthened 25 years by the removal of the grade crossings.

DIRECTORS HAVE FAITH IN SCHWAB

He Is Re-Elected President of United States Steel Corporation.

GIVES OUT THE NEWS

The Pittsburgh Gazette Bureau, Herald Building, Herald Square, NEW YORK, May 5.

Charles M. Schwab was re-elected president of the United States Steel Corporation at a meeting of the directors this afternoon. Mr. Schwab smilingly announced this fact himself at the close of the meeting and added that all the old officers were re-elected, including the members of the various committees.

"There were no changes made in the officials of the corporation," he said, "and the only matter of interest which took place was the election of Senator John Dryden of New Jersey as a director to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Abram S. Hewitt. I understand that Senator Dryden becomes the corporate representative in the directorate of New Jersey."

Mr. Schwab was asked if he would adopt any new policy in regard to the management of the corporation's affairs. He said that he does not propose to take over the Bethlehem Steel Company from the United States Shipbuilding Company, otherwise known as the shipyard trust, of which Lewis Nixon is the president. He was asked regarding a trip which he recently took to Bethlehem, where the big armor plate plant is located. He said:

"I am not a director nor an officer in the United States Shipbuilding Company. I am, however, a holder of its stocks and bonds, as I sold the company the Bethlehem Steel Company, taking in payment stocks and bonds.

"The shipyard trust proposes to make certain improvements at the plant, and I was consulted only in an advisory capacity, as I was familiar with the works. The improvements are similar to those constructed at the Homestead works, and as certain engineers of the latter plant were here in the city it was suggested that we go to Bethlehem and look the plant over. Accordingly, I telephoned Mr. Nixon and we made a journey of inspection. I do not know whether the improvements contemplated will be put into effect or not."

C. P. GRENEKER.

DELEGATE IS BRANDED.

Horseshoer's Visit to Non-Union Shop Meets With Decidedly Hostile Reception.

NEW YORK, May 5.—(Special.)—Branded, burned and kicked out, was the reception tendered Michael Hogan, business agent of the horseshoers' union, when he visited the non-union shop of Joseph Riley, Long Island City. The shoers are on strike and Hogan, acting as a walking delegate, decided to bring Riley to terms by pulling his shop.

While discussing the matter Hogan stooped to pick up something and Riley plastered him over the pistol pocket with a red-hot shoe. The iron burned trousers and flesh and Hogan yelled so loudly that several policemen entered the shop. Riley was arrested; Hogan is in bed.

NEW MINISTER CALLED TO KITTANNING CHURCH

SPRINGFIELD, O., May 5.—(Special.)—The Rev. George U. Preuss, one of the leading divines of Mansfield, O., was today called by unanimous action to the Lutheran church at Kittanning, Pa. He has decided to accept.

CLERGYMAN FREED FROM UGLY CHARGE

Jury Exonerates Father Walser of Agatha Reichlin's Murder.

MYSTERY UNSOLVED

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

Lorain, O., May 5.—The Rev. Ferdinand Walser, the priest charged with the murder of Miss Agatha Reichlin, who was found dead in her room in St. Joseph's parsonage Thursday night, was released from custody here tonight and the murder is now a greater mystery than before.

The priest's discharge followed the inquest today. The principal witnesses were Capt. Ketchum, night chief of police, and Casimir Reichlin, brother of the murdered woman, and their testimony was not sufficient to hold the priest. Nothing new was brought out in the inquest.

Mayor King tonight after ordering Father Walser's release offered the priest his hand in congratulation, but before taking the mayor's hand Father Walser said:

"You hearby say I am innocent?"

"Yes," replied the mayor. He then met the proferred handshake, saying: "I shall certainly send prayers to God."

He was greatly excited and said further: "I can't kill anybody; I can't kill a chicken."

It required fully ten minutes for Father Reichlin and his brothers, Casimir and Martin, with the party of accompanying Catholic clergy, to get Father Walser to the carriage in waiting, so great was the crowd and so eager were they to shower congratulations.

There was no cheer, but a quiet feeling of fervid thankfulness over the priest's release. The Gazette representative jumped into the carriage with the party at the request of Father Reichlin, who said just after the carriage had started, supplementing it with a gleeful laugh: "Half my sorrow is gone," and slapped Father Walser on the knee joyfully.

The party drove to St. Joseph's hospital where the Rev. Mr. Walser will sleep tonight. He expects to remain in Lorain a few days, the guest of Father Reichlin.

FREE TELEPHONES FOR PATIENTS AT HOSPITALS

Syndicate Which Wished to Enter Cincinnati Makes Attractive Proposal.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

CINCINNATI, May 5.—A free telephone at the side of every hospital cot in Cincinnati is the pledge made by a new telephone syndicate which wishes to enter into competition with established systems here.

Representatives of independent telephone lines with headquarters in different cities, including Louisville, Hamilton, Indianapolis and Batavia, met Philip Fitzsimmons, president of the Fitzsimmons Telephone Company, here today, and signed a ten-year co-operative contract. They expect to gain an entrance into Cincinnati, and operate in opposition to the present telephone company.

Fitzsimmons states that the connecting lines of the independent companies are strung within three miles of the Fitzsimmons-Hauss wires. He also says that before June 1 a system of uniformed messenger boys will be established in Cincinnati to carry telephone messages to drug stores and other places, to be transmitted to different cities in Indiana and Ohio.

QUAY DID NOT SEE BIGELOW

Senator Says He Has No Engagement With Citizens Leader

NO HARMONY PLAN

School Site Delay and Disappointment of Job Hunters Hurting Citizens Party

HUGH FERGUSON IS ANGRY

Senator M. S. Quay and Thomas S. Bigelow did not meet yesterday, and, according to the senator, they are not likely to have any conferences in the future on the question of state appointments. The man from Beaver also gave the impression that he had washed his hands of the Allegheny harmony scheme.

Quay spent a good portion of the day at the Allegheny National bank, while Bigelow was busy with place hunters at his offices in Fourth avenue. The senator said that he had not seen Bigelow, did not expect to see him during the day, that he had no engagement in the future to discuss state appointments or anything else with the Citizens leader. He said that while he had seen a good many people during the day, he had no conferences with anyone connected with the Republican organization. When asked about harmony in the county he remarked that he had no information on the subject of party unity. The senator says that he will not succeed himself as state chairman. His sucessor will be chosen by the state convention on May 27. W. R. Andrews and T. Larry Eyre are prominently mentioned.

QUAY WAS INTERESTED.

The senator was informed that advices from Harrisburg indicated that Gov. Pennypacker had signed the libel bill. Quay was pacing up and down the floor, but when this remark was made he stopped and eagerly inquired if the information was official.

Quay during his western visit has been keeping close tab on the Pittsburgh situation and, like hundreds of others, can see trouble piling up for the Citizens' managers. There is dissatisfaction on every hand and while Thomas S. Bigelow is endeavoring in every way to check the feeling against his organization he is making little headway.

On top of the hundreds of men who have been disappointed in their search for office comes the uprising of the populace against the administration's policy of delaying the technological school site purchase. The Citizens leaders are alarmed over the storm of protests. They say that Director E. M. Bigelow may be right in acquiring the property by condemnation proceedings, but that the plan is not a vote-getter. One of the cabinet officers said yesterday that unless something was done the Citizens would lose hundreds of votes this fall. He also pointed out that the decision rendered by City Solicitor Rodgers encouraged the people to protest against delay.

FERGUSON IS ANGRY.

In every ward of the city there are men prominent in the Citizens party who are thoroughly disgusted with the manner the appointments are being made. Hugh Ferguson, head of the organization in the Seventeenth ward, is bubbling over with wrath. He says that the Seventeenth ward has sent in a list of men it wants named and cannot get any satisfaction from the leaders. Ferguson devoted much time and money to the cause and thinks that he and his friends in the Seventeenth ward should not receive such indecent treatment. Unless the appointments are made and other things righted, Ferguson will not be found in the Citizens party this fall. So far, according to Ferguson, the administration has done nothing for the ward, except to reinstate men who fought William B. Hays.

"I am a Republican and only stepped out of the party because it got into bad hands," said Ferguson, "but if there is a reorganization and good men are nominated for office we will see the Republican party in power again. All over this city are Citizens who think just as I do. If there is not a change for the better I intend to take a hand this fall and it will not be for the Citizens."

FULTON IS DISPLEASED.

Even members of the cabinet have their troubles. Delinquent Tax Collector Andrew Fulton is finding that he cannot get appointments and he is not being called into the leaders' conferences. According to Fulton's friends, two men he had placed in the bureau of fire have been removed and he has been unable to secure their reinstatement.

Bigelow labored for three hours yesterday morning with job hunters. The supply of places is getting low and it is difficult to find methods of placating the men who battled for reform and a place on the payroll. The state jobs are badly needed, but judging from the observations of Quay he does not have much intention of recommending any changes in the present officeholders at Harrisburg. By throwing out the men now holding clerkships he would tread on the toes of friends.

A delegation from the Fourteenth ward was at city hall to demand places. Among other appointments they wanted Jacob Binder made chief clerk in the bureau of health. The place is said to be promised to Dwyer of the Eighteenth ward. Councilman Lauler was asked what he thought of Binder's chances and replied: "I do not know; things are mighty uncertain these days."

HUNDREDS DISAPPOINTED.

An idea of the trouble the Citizens are piling up for themselves can be had when

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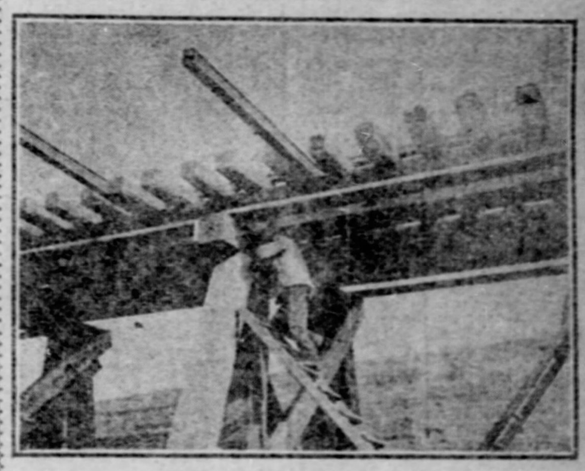
BOLTING TIMBERS OF TEMPORARY TRESTLE.



A Lone Workman Doing His Part.

PAYNE ASKS TULLOCH FOR HIS PROOFS

Former Postoffice Administration Will be Investigated.

LOUD IS CONSULTED

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

Washington, May 5.—There were two developments in the postoffice investigation today. First, the dispatch of a letter calling for the evidence in the possession of S. W. Tulloch, former cashier of the Washington city postoffice, to substantiate his charges against the administration of the department several years ago; and second, the announcement that the present investigation was agreed on early last winter.

Postmaster General Payne, in his letter to Mr. Tulloch, said he would be pleased to receive any statements, accounts, documents or other papers confirmatory of the allegations made. Mr. Payne will go over these papers and decide whether the matter should be referred to Fourth Assistant Postmaster General Bristow for inclusion in his investigation. Mr. Payne stated that all the replies called for had not yet been submitted.

Ex-Representative Loud of California, for many years chairman of the house committee on postoffices and post roads, was in conference with the postmaster general today concerning the investigation. The postmaster general later announced that the present investigation was contemplated as long ago as last December. Mr. Payne said this was provided for in an item in the last appropriation act by congress for contingent expenses of the office of the postmaster general. Mr. Payne said he and Mr. Loud had agreed that an investigation should be made to determine whether changes in methods were needed, such as safe-guarding contracts and purchases, etc. It was a big undertaking, he said. At that time it was not believed there was any dishonesty.

CAPT. CLARK RESIGNS TO ESCAPE REMOVAL

Mayor Brown Succeeds Gen. Latta As Secretary of Internal Affairs.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

HARRISBURG, May 5.—Rather than give his personal enemy, Secretary of Internal Affairs Brown, a chance to remove him from the office of chief of the bureau of industrial statistics, Capt. James M. Clark of New Castle last night handed his resignation to ex-Secretary Latta and retired with him today at noon.

Brown immediately announced the appointment of Robert C. Bair of York to succeed Clark and Theodore B. Klein of Lebanon to be deputy secretary, a position held by Brown himself the past 16 years.

Klein's place as chief clerk of the department will probably be taken by Frank Hall of Huntingdon, private secretary to Latta.

The attaches of the department presented Gen. Latta with a beautiful gold watch and chain and diamond locket, and Maj. Brown with a handsome desk clock.

NEARLY TWO HUNDRED KILLED IN BATTLE

SALONICA, May 5.—In the engagement between Turkish troops and revolutionists at Okrina on May 2, 70 revolutionists were killed and 21 were injured, while the Turks had 100 killed and 10 officers and six men wounded. After an interview with the governor general the British and Italian consuls here have expressed themselves as satisfied with the precautionary measures taken. All foreign consulates and banking establishments are guarded by troops.

WOMAN ATTEMPTS TO STRANGLE HERSELF

Mrs. Nora Southern, 30 years old, employed as a servant at the home of E. J. McKinzie, No. 1256 Sheffield street, Allegheny, was found strangling to death this morning at 2 o'clock by Mr. McKinzie. She was sent to the Allegheny General hospital in a patrol wagon. She will likely recover. When found the woman had a towel tied tightly about her throat.

MATOS FALLS INTO SNARE OF CASTRO'S

Venezuelan Revolutionary Army Being Completely Surrounded.

BATTLE IS EXPECTED

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

Caracas, May 5.—It is believed here that Gen. Matos, the leader of the revolution, has fallen into a trap. His object in landing again on Venezuelan soil was to re-establish harmony among the chiefs of the revolution, who are fighting among themselves. Gen. Matos on May 1 reached Barquisimeto, where a revolutionary army of 5,000 men is concentrated under Gens. Penaloza and Larn.

The government at first was inclined to disbelieve the news that Gen. Matos had returned, but after this was confirmed it concentrated its forces, which are now encircling the rebels. Vice President Gomez is marching on Barquisimeto via Tunacas and Duaca with 2,000 men, Gen. Linares is approaching via San Felipe and Yaritagua with 1,800 men; Gen. Gonzales Pacheco is approaching via Guidor with 1,200 men and 900 Andine troops are coming via Carache.

Within eight days Barquisimeto, which is strongly entrenched, will be attacked simultaneously by all the government forces. It is believed that the approaching battle will be the last of the Matos revolution, if the revolutionists are defeated.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 5.—Final permission reached the Italian, British and German embassies tonight for the allies' representatives to sign with Mr. Bowen, Venezuela's plenipotentiary, the protocol submitting the question of preferential treatment to The Hague tribunal for arbitration.

As soon as the allies' representatives can agree among themselves as to whether The Hague convention shall be signed separately among the three powers the joint signatures will occur. On this question Mr. Bowen has declared himself neutral.

SHAW WILL INVESTIGATE LOSS OF PAPER PROFITS

Suspects That Some Surreptitious Drilling Has Been Done on His Texas Oil Land.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, May 5.—Secretary Shaw left Washington tonight for New Orleans. From there he will go to Beaumont, Tex., to inspect land which he owns in the oil region and learn the real cause of a great decline in values.

For several years the secretary has been a member of a company which purchased a tract of rice land near Beaumont. Oil was struck on Spindle Top a short time after the company acquired the land and values soared. In the height of the oil boom Secretary Shaw was offered $425,000 for one-half of the tract of land. But the secretary saw millions in the oil business and refused the offer. Other members of the company in which he was interested did the same.

In a few months the best offer the company could get for the entire tract was $75,000. The land was not within the limited district which was producing gushers, but was so near that its owners were confident that it was underlaid with oil. The sudden drop in the price was a great surprise, and gave rise to the suspicion that some drilling had been done on the secretary's tract.

Secretary Shaw will remain in the south for about a week and while there will confer with other men who are interested in the Texas land.

SCHWAB WILL TREAT HOMESTEAD'S BOARD

The Homestead school board yesterday received an invitation from Charles M. Schwab to make a tour of any portion of the country which the members desire to make, at his expense. The entire board of 15 members were given a two weeks' tour of eastern cities by Mr. Schwab last summer. This year's invitation will also be accepted, and it is thought the board will go to Portland, Maine, and other northern points.

PRESIDENT AMONG HIS ROUGH RIDERS

Finds Many Old Comrades in His Day's Travel in New Mexico.

APPEAL FOR STATEHOOD

Forty-Six Little Girls in Tableau Directly Opposite Speakers' Stand at Albuquerque—Roosevelt Acts at Christening.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

SANTA FE, N. M., May 5.—President Roosevelt spent 3 hours and 20 minutes today in this city, whose historic buildings and monuments seemed to have much interest for him. At the capitol he made an address, speaking for 20 minutes to an audience of fully 10,000 people.

"I know the people of New Mexico," he said, "and I am fond of them. How can I help being fond of the people with whom I have worked?"

He congratulated the people of New Mexico on what they have accomplished and said he believed they were on the verge of great things.

"Much will depend on the thrift of the people," said the president, "but the government can help somewhat, and the government will help."

A brief reception was held in the capitol, after which a drive was taken over the gaily decorated streets, which were lined thickly with a cheering multitude.

A stop was made at San Miguel church, the oldest church edifice in the United States, and at the cathedral where the vicar general, Anthony Fourchurg, baptized the son of George W. Armijo, a sergeant in the rough riders. President Roosevelt being the godfather. The child was named Theodore Roosevelt.

A large detail of rough riders in uniform served as a guard of honor and a number of these accompanied the president to Albuquerque. The Cleveland, O., Grays, who happened to arrive on an excursion, took part in the exercises.

Private Secretary Loeb arrived here last night and joined the president.

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., May 5.—The president closed the most picturesque day of his western trip with a stop of two hours in Albuquerque this afternoon. His train reached here at 2:50, and he was escorted at once by a reception committee to a lavishly decorated stand in front of the Alvarado hotel, where he spoke for a few minutes to a crowd of 5,000 people.

Directly opposite the speaker's stand was a tableau representing New Mexico appealing for admission to the union, 45 little girls dressed in white representing the states, while one of them on the outside of a gate, by which stood Uncle Sam, represented New Mexico. The president said that when New Mexico had a little more irrigation there would be nothing the matter with the little girl on the outside.

The president was presented with a Navajo saddle blanket, in which were woven in white letters his credentials as an honorary member of the Albuquerque Commercial club.

At 5 o'clock the president continued his trip to the west, with the grand canyon of the Colorado as the objective point.

POLICE SAY IT WAS A MURDER

Ferro's Death at Brookfield Did Not Have Strong Indications of Suicide.

NEGROES ARE SUSPECTS

Fires Cause Death of Two Children—Two Men Killed While at Work on the Wabash Construction.

Michael Ferro, 24 years old, who was found dying by the roadside in Brookfield about two miles from Evergreen, out the old Millvale narrow gauge railroad, yesterday morning with a bullet hole in his right temple and a revolver by his side, died in the Allegheny general hospital at 2:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon. It was first thought that he had committed suicide, but when his body was identified by his brother last night at the morgue it was learned that the revolver did not belong to the dead man and the deputy coroners and County Detective Robert G. Robinson say the man was murdered.

It is known that Ferro had some trouble with a negro in one of the nearby camps. Considerable money was found in Ferro's clothing, and Detective Robinson does not think the assault was made for the purpose of robbery.

Playing with fire resulted in the death of two little girls yesterday. Early yesterday morning Rose Glyder was playing about an oil stove at her home in Tarentum and overturned the stove. Her father took her to the hospital, where she died yesterday.

Rose Schultz of No. 82 Orchard street, Schoenville, died at her home last night from burns received Monday morning while playing about a bonfire.

Robert Byers and another colored man were killed by a falling derrick yesterday afternoon in Woodville avenue, Mt. Washington, on the construction of the Wabash tunnel. Byers lives in Hydraulic, W. Va. The other man was not identified.

A. W. Fitler, 55 years old, of Middle avenue, Wilmerding, died at his home last night from the effects of an overdose of morphine taken to relieve pain.

H. Gutman, proprietor of the Gutman hotel, No. 141 Frankstown avenue, had occasion to go to his cellar shortly after 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon and there he found the body of James H. Ward, a painter, whose residence was No. 651 Park avenue. Death was due to alcoholism.

An unknown man, about 35 years old, was run over and killed by a West Penn railroad train at Ross station, at noon yesterday.

MOMENTS OF SUSPENSE.

ALLEGHENIAN CHOSEN STATE GRAND MASTER

Orangemen of Pennsylvania Hold Their Annual Convention in Philadelphia.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

PHILADELPHIA, May 5.—The state grand lodge of Orangemen, in session in Orange hall this afternoon, adopted a resolution opposing the appropriating of state funds for sectarian institutions.

An important feature of the afternoon session was the selection of the committee to represent the state grand lodge at the triennial council at Dublin in July.

Robert T. Alexander of Allegheny was elected state grand master. Thomas Paisley, Pittsburgh, second deputy grand master; George Carlisle, Pittsburgh, grand secretary; David Filson, Allegheny, treasurer; the Rev. Thomas Lockhart, Pittsburgh, deputy chaplain; John Brown, Pittsburgh, one of three trustees; Thomas Thompson, Pittsburgh, one of the three representatives to the supreme grand lodge.

The Rev. Mr. Worrell, Alexander Harvey, Samuel Vance, William Smith and A. Hipson, all of Philadelphia, were elected representatives to the triennial council.

The secretary's report showed an increase of over 2,000 in membership.

The Ladies' Orange Association is also in session and this morning elected the following officers: Worthy state grand mistress, Mrs. Kate Harbison, Philadelphia; first deputy grand mistress, Mrs. Mary D. Reilly, Pittsburgh; second deputy grand mistress, Miss Mamie Bodkin, Philadelphia; secretary, Miss Annie McCormick, New Castle; assistant secretary, Mrs. M. Riddle, New Castle; treasurer, Mrs. Sarah J. Scaife, Pittsburgh; assistant treasurer, Mrs. Lizzie Hough, Pittsburgh; chaplain, Mrs. Hattie Lincoln, Allegheny; assistant chaplain, Mrs. Sarah J. Kissock, Pittsburgh.

THREE SEMINARY GIRLS ARE EXPELLED

WASHINGTON, PA., May 5.—(Special.)—A sensation was caused here today by the expulsion of three girls from the Washington seminary, as a result of their attending a circus last Saturday. One is a Pittsburgh girl. Another lives at Niagara Falls and the third is from Toledo, O. All are members of prominent families. Last Saturday afternoon the three, joining three Washington and Jefferson college boys, attended the circus. They were sent to their homes today, a teacher accompanying them as far as Pittsburgh.

SERVICES IN MEMORY OF TWO BISHOPS

MEADVILLE, PA., May 5.—(Special.)—This morning in the Ford chapel of Allegheny college, a special memorial service was held in memory of two members of the board of bishops of the Methodist Episcopal church, which was in session in its semi-annual conference. The two bishops who passed away during the conference were Bishop Randolph Foster at Roxbury, Mass., and Bishop John M. Hurst in Washington, D. C. Bishop Edward G. Andrews of New York city conducted the services.

Proposition From Manufacturers.

The Flint Glass Workers' union has received a proposition from the American Flint Glass Manufacturers' association regarding the scale of wages for different kinds of glassware. The aim will be to put in one class articles that are similar in size, weight and bulk. There is not any likelihood of the general increase being granted the men. They desire an increase in the pressed ware department of about 4 per cent.

Babe Found on Doorstep.

CANTON, O., May 5.—(Special.)—A two-months-old child was found last night on the doorstep at the home of Mrs. McGrew in Massillon. Mrs. McGrew is the widow of Sidney McGrew, who committed suicide under mysterious circumstances last January. He had been an employe of the Stark county infirmary.

New Pastor Installed.

A special meeting of the Allegheny presbytery of the United Presbyterian church was held last night in the Third church, Allegheny, for the purpose of installing the Rev. J. A. Henderson, formerly of the Lake Presbyterian church, as pastor of the Third church, Allegheny.

STEINWAY PIANO FOR $150.

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WOMAN ASSAULTED AT HER RESIDENCE

FINDLAY, O., May 5.—Last night Emma Mulheim was assaulted and perhaps fatally wounded in the yard of her residence, it is alleged, by Charles Mulaski and Charles Aiken. She went to the barn and as she stepped out of the door to return to the house, she was struck by the man she claims to be Charles Mulaski, and who was a rejected suitor. The weapon was a blunt instrument, but the blow cut her head, knocking her to the ground unconscious, her mother finding her in a pool of blood. Near her also lay a bottle of chloroform. Warrants were sworn out for the two men and this evening they were apprehended.

Wonderful Work by a Squash.

Bishop H. W. Warren of Denver entertained a large audience at the Lincoln Avenue Methodist Episcopal church, Lincoln avenue and Meadow street, last night with his lecture, "The Forces in a Sunbeam." Bishop Warren treated sunbeams under three heads. The light which they give, their chemical rays and the kinds of heat emitted. He told several good stories illustrating the power of sunbeams, one of which was that a squash, under an experiment during its growth, lifted 5,000 pounds of iron with which it had been weighed.

OCEAN INTELLIGENCE.

Arrived May 5.

New York—Kronprinz Wilhelm from Bremen; Rotterdam from Rotterdam; Norge from Copenhagen; Patricia from Marseilles; Trave from Naples.

Cherbourg—Kaiser Wilhelm II. from New York.

Bremen—Barrarossa from New York.

Naples—Luis, from Bremen.

Sailed May 5.

New York—Lombardia for Naples.

Gibraltar—America and Prinzessin Irene for New York.

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

ALVIN—"A Chinese Honeymoon," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.

NEW GRAND—Stock company in "The Climbers," 2 and 8 p. m.

BIJOU—"On the Suwanee River," 2 and 8 p. m.

DUQUESNE—Haverly's Mastodon Minstrels, 2 and 8 p. m.

AVENUE—High-class refined vaudeville bill, headed by Sandow, in continuous performance, from 1:30 to 10:30 p. m.

ACADEMY—Watson's American Burlesquers, 2 and 8 p. m.

EMPIRE—Hagenbeck's trained animals, 2 and 8 p. m.

ALLEGHENY CARNEGIE MUSIC HALL—Free organ recital by City Organist H. P. Ledger, assisted by Leo Oehmler and Dr. C. Buttner, 8 p. m.

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PITTSBURGH COMPANY BUYS WASHINGTON LINE

Railway to Be Extended to This City by Way of Canonsburg.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, PA., May 5.—Officials of the Pittsburgh Railways Company, in Washington today, closed up a deal for the merger of the Washington & Canonsburg Railway Company. The local company is capitalized at $1,500,000 and all its franchises, lines and others in course of construction will be united with those of the Pittsburgh Railways Company.

Former Senator Arthur Kennedy of Pittsburgh is president of the Washington & Canonsburg company. It was given out today that a 20-mile line to Pittsburgh from Washington, with double tracks, will be finished. The line will terminate in Pittsburgh at the end of Smithfield street bridge and tunneling through Mt. Washington in that city for nearly a mile to Sycamore street, will follow Saw Mill run to Castle Shannon; from the latter place it will trail se the tracks of the Pittsburgh & Charleroi line to Finleyville and will extend to the limits of East Washington borough. The road from Washington to Pittsburgh will be completed within a year.

It was also stated that plans for a line from Pittsburgh to St. Louis, as outlined in The Gazette some days ago, are progressing.

QUAY FAILED TO SEE T. S. BIGELOW

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it is noted that 1,851 persons were disappointed in the making of 99 appointments at the court house. When this number is multiplied by 5, it shows that over 9,200 people who were previously friendly to the Citizens are at least lukewarm now.

Recorder J. Denny O'Neil gave out some figures yesterday about appointments in his office. He had 97 notices to fill and received over 1,350 applications. He reinstated 18 of the old employes, thus cutting his total of new clerks to 79. This would leave 1,181 persons who failed to get jobs. While O'Neil may not have promised them places, the Citizens managers were prolific in promises, and the disappointed are consequently disgruntled.

In the controller's office there were 9 appointments made and 247 people disappointed. Treasurer Collingwood disappointed 251 people in filling 11 positions. The county commissioners had many appointments to make, and there were hundreds of applicants. Clerk of Courts Barr had a few places to fill and numerous Citizens were ready to go on the payroll, but they are not yet there.

There will be no attempt made to force the city clerk election until after the technological school site ordinance is disposed of. There are Citizens councilmen opposed to the condemnation proceedings who are disposed to act independently in the clerkship contest, if the condemnation ordinance is pressed. It was said yesterday that the administration had decided not to ask for a mandamus to force select council into joint session until the school proposition is out of the way.

After a conference with Thomas S. Bigelow, Director Clark of the charity department said that the superintendent for Marshalsea will probably not be named until June 1. There is some reason for believing that Dr. John Carr, the present superintendent, will be reappointed.

Alluding to the payroll of the public works departments, Finley Torrens of the Twenty-fifth ward is the chief clerk. Director Bigelow has neved announced the appointment of any one for the place.

The Republican association of the Fifth legislative district will meet at headquarters tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock to suggest candidates for state delegates. At the same place and at the same hour, on Friday evening, the association of the third and fourth districts will meet to name candidates. The two Allegheny districts have not stated their delegates. There are several factions over there, and so far they have failed to get together.

Julius Clark, a cigarmaker of the Seventh ward, was yesterday appointed a city detective. He is 56 years old.

Mayor Hays, Director Moore, Police Superintendent McTighe and Assistant Police Superintendent Malone were on the South Side yesterday afternoon inspecting police stations and fire engine houses.

FALLS THREE STORIES AND LANDS ON HEAD

Cut Skin Deep on Brow Only Apparent Result of the Accident.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

PHILADELPHIA, May 5.—Three-year-old Annie Dough doesn't know anything about miracles, yet physicians declare that one has apparently been performed in her behalf. The miracle consists in her being alive today.

She fell three stories, landed upon her head on a stone pavement, and yet seems to have escaped injury. The physicians can scarcely believe she has escaped concussion of the brain, but as yet no trace of this has developed.

When Annie fell from a third story window at her home her body turned in the air so that she fell head foremost, striking the sidewalk. She sat up at once, cried a bit, then said:

"Tell mamma my head hurts."

Within five minutes she apparently recovered entirely. A doctor who attended the child says no bones were broken, and that a cut in her forehead is only skin deep.

Will Improve Water Supply.

At the annual stockholders' meeting of the Chartiers Valley Water Company, Monday, the selection of the board of directors resulted in the selection of M. W. Watson, James F. Grimes, W. W. Murray, Albert Erpwein, Charles Ott, John C. Fisher and Harry Moore.

It is the intention of the new board to at once take up the work of improving the water supply. Two new engines have been ordered and other improvements are contemplaid.

Kid Carter Knocked Out.

LOS ANGELES, May 5.—Sam McVey knocked out Kid Carter in the 11th round tonight.

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Connections if you apply now to the Philadelphia Company. To induce consumers to use this ideal fuel, which does away with dirt and smoke in their homes, the company will make service connections and set meter free this month. Apply now at 435 Sixth avenue. Gas doesn't heat up the whole house from the kitchen in summer. It's economical, too.

WOMEN OF U. P. CHURCH MEET HERE NEXT WEEK

Twentieth Annual Convention of Women's General Missionary Society.

The 20th annual convention of the Women's General Missionary society of the United Presbyterian church will open in the First United Presbyterian church, Allegheny, next Tuesday evening. The last time the convention was held here was in 1886 and since then the organization has grown greatly. The convention is looked upon as the most important meeting in the church, save only that of the general assembly. The convention will open on Tuesday evening and continue until Friday at noon. The program is as follows:

Tuesday, 7:45 p. m.—Opening praise service, led by Mrs. John A. Wilson of Pittsburgh, second vice president. Greetings, Allegheny presbyterial, Mrs. J. Robinson; women's board, Mrs. Agnes Herron; Women's association, Mrs. H. C. Campbell. Response, Mrs. John A. Wilson. Address of the president.

Wednesday, 9 a. m.—Morning worship, Miss Sallie Boyd, Pittsburgh, presiding. Report of statistical secretary, Mrs. Mary W. Porter; receiving secretary, Miss Samuel Young; treasurer, Miss E. J. Sloan; finance committee; Emerald Mission, Mrs. Fannie Lamb Mesta, secretary, and Mrs. S. M. Kelso, treasurer; Junior magazine, Mrs. E. M. Hill; thank-offering secretary, Mrs. Mary Clokey Porter.

Wednesday, 2 p. m.—Annual meeting of bearers' conference. Praise service, Miss Ella O. Kyle, Cairo, Egypt, presiding. Report of Literature Secretary, Miss Elizabeth Caughey. Conference of the Chartiers Valley, Miss Jennie Milholland, Mrs. R. C. Aleshon, Baltimore, Md., presiding, and participated in by Mrs. G. L. Dunn, Erie, Pa.; Mrs. W. C. Williamson, Crescent, Ia.; Miss W. J. McConnell, Cedarville, O.; Mrs. Lucy Barber, Cedarville, O.; Mrs. R. A. Evans, Minden, Neb.; Miss Margaret McLaughrey, Westminster college; Mrs. M. Hopping, Hamilton, O.; Miss Mary Wilson, Oakdale, Pa.; Mrs. N. M. Freeman, McAlevys Fort, Pa.; Miss Jennie Pollock, Canonsburg, Pa.; Miss Louise McKerrow, Sinclair, Ill.; Mrs. Laura Boggs Watson, Assiut, Egypt; Miss Elizabeth Caughey, literature secretary; Mrs. C. E. Hanna, Washburn, Ill. Hours missions report, Mrs. H. Campbell. Foreign missionary report, Mrs. J. B. Hill. Round table conference, Miss Mame L. Giffen, St. Clairsville, O., presiding.

Wednesday, 7 p. m.—Young ladies' conference. Praise and thank-offering conference, Mrs. John A. Crawford, Chicago, presiding. Address, The Unbaptized Army," Miss Florabel Patterson, Assiut, Egypt; Miss Bella Wilson, Pittsburgh, presiding. Round table conference, Jennie Turner, M. D., Youngstown, O., presiding. Address, "The Hope of the Church," N. B. Colton, Catherine, Ala. Junior hour, conducted by Miss R. M. Russell, Pittsburgh. Junior conference, Mrs. J. C. Warnock, Colegrove, Pa., presiding and participated in by Mrs. Anna C. Holmes, Xenia, O.; Mrs. Stuart Magee, New Brighton, Pa.; Mrs. J. Henderson, Greenwich, N. Y.; Mrs. Lulu Meredith, South Omaha, Neb.; Miss Ivy R. Laing; Miss Margaret Campbell, Monmouth, Ill.

Thursday, 1 p. m.—Informal conference, workers' magazine evening worship, Mrs. D. H. Milligan, Elderton, Pa., presiding. Address, "Home Missions," Mrs. J. H. Gibson, Portland, Ore. Address, "Foreign Missions," Anna Spear, Wilson, M. D., Teheran, Persia.

Friday, 9 a. m.—Worship, the president presiding. Report of committee on resolutions. Unfinished business. Introduction of new offices. Parting words. Adjournment.

The present officers of the association are: President, Mrs. George M. Moore, Xenia, O.; first vice president, Mrs. W. A. Spaulding, Seattle, Wash.; second vice president, Mrs. John A. Wilson, Pittsburgh, Pa.; secretary, Mrs. Mary W. Potter, Latrobe, Pa.; treasurer, Miss E. J. Sloan, Pittsburgh, Pa.; executive committee, Miss Ella McHenry, Allegheny, chairman; Mrs. J. D. Frazer, Allegheny; Mrs. John McNaugher, Allegheny.

MARVIN HART'S FIGHT.

Although Outweighed, O'Brien Puts Up a Good Fight.

PHILADELPHIA, May 5.—Marvin Hart of Louisville had the better of the six-round fight with Philadelphia Jack O'Brien tonight at the Penn Athletic club. O'Brien put up a wonderful fight against Hart who was 24 pounds heavier than O'Brien.

The Philadelphian had the better of the bout up to the fifth round, when he was almost knocked out by the Louisville man. In the sixth round O'Brien received severe punishment and was all but out when the bell sounded. Because Hart failed to weigh in at 170 pounds, O'Brien received Hart's weight forfeit of $250.

MILLIONAIRE GETS INTO LAW'S CLUTCHES

MORRISTOWN, N. J., May 5.—(Special.)—Henry Patterson Phipps, a millionaire who is accustomed to having his own way, was arrested this afternoon for driving his carriage over a fire hose. Phipps was making a dash down town during a fire with the hopes of reaching his office before the hose carts blocked the streets. He was forced to either enter a side street or else drive over the hose.

Two Strikes Were Settled.

The strike of painters and paper hangers in Washington, D. C., was settled Monday, the demands of the strikers being granted. When the strike was instituted five days ago the brotherhood furnished transportation to the strikers to come to Pittsburgh. All but 15 came to this city and were given work. These men, 60 in number, have decided to return to Washington. A number left last night and the remainder will leave Saturday. The strike at Cleveland was also settled. The men were granted an advance of 25 cents a day and a proportionate advance on piece work.

BAD SEA DISASTER IS CAUSED BY FOG

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Judson Seville, Berkley, and David Rowland, Newport News.

The Saginaw was in charge of First Officer Goslee when the collision occurred, and the first officer of the Old Dominion ship also was at the wheel of his vessel.

Passengers and most of the crew on both ships were asleep below when the disaster happened, and when the terrible shock and grinding noise awakened them a panic-stricken rush for safety took place. The discipline of the crew was admirable. "Women first!" was the original command of Capt. Tunnell, after the lifeboats had been prepared for lowering.

The following statement was made by Capt. John Boaz of the Hamilton this afternoon:

HAMILTON'S ENGINES STOPPED.

"It was clear when we left New York yesterday afternoon, but we ran into a fog bank four miles north of Egg Harbor, the fog lasting until we reached Cape Charles this morning. It was about 4:40 this morning, and we were proceeding at about 9 knots an hour. We had been under reduced speed since encountering the fog. We could not see a ship's length ahead, when we heard a whistle on the starboard bow two points ahead. We stopped the Hamilton, and then I heard another whistle. Suddenly the Saginaw loomed up three points on the bow and the Saginaw attempted to run across the Hamilton's bow. We backed at full speed, but struck the Saginaw on the port quarter."

Capt. J. S. Tunnel of the Saginaw did not leave his vessel until the last minute. He was finally taken from the rigging of the sinking ship, and when gotten aboard the Hamilton was found to be badly injured. He is now on the Hamilton under the care of a physician, and cannot be seen. His injuries are serious but not fatal.

E. B. Cole of Philadelphia, who was saved from the Saginaw, had just sold out his business in Newport News and was en route home. He placed $700 and a diamond pin beneath his pillow before retiring. When the crash came all thought of valuables was forgotten and he sought safety on deck. Then he remembered his money and started below, but was driven back by the water. Describing the collision Mr. Cole declared it was so sudden that one could scarcely realize at first what had happened. Mr. Cole grasped a piece of wreckage and managed to reach one of the topmasts of the sunken ship, from which he was taken by a boat from the Hamilton.

BLOW FROM WRENCH RESULTED IN DEATH

WHEELING, W. VA., May 5.—James McGowan was struck in the engine room of the Benwood mill early this morning with a heavy wrench. Death was almost instantaneous. Robert Richie has been arrested.

Dedicated the Mission.

At an all-day session yesterday the new building of the New Covenant Mission to Jews and Gentiles was dedicated. The building was presented to the mission by J. B. Corey, treasurer of the board. The building is at Forty-second and Sherman streets.

Springhood
OR
SPRINGTIME

Is also Hoodtime, for it is the time of all times when

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Is most needed,—the blood is impure, complexion bad, appetite lost, strength gone,—the whole system is upset by an accumulation of humors.

"I have taken Hood's Sarsaparilla as a spring medicine and have found it an excellent blood purifier. It also cures disorders of the stomach." PAUL D. COOK, Springfield Center, N. Y.

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"I used to be troubled with boils and carbuncles every spring, but since using a bottle or so of Hood's Sarsaparilla each spring I am relieved of these troubles. The medicine also strengthens my system." PEARSON L. TEXTER, Hagersville, Pa.

If There Is Constipation or Biliousness Hood's Pills Are Also Needed.

TEACHERS FED ON FAT SQUABS

David B. Oliver Describes Campaign of a School Book Firm.

AMONG THE EDUCATORS

Warns New Members of Allegheny School Board Against Such Influences—Insists on Strict Compliance With Law.

By the act of David B. Oliver, president of the Allegheny board of school controllers, in deferring action on the report of the board's committee on textbooks it is likely that the new school term will open without the changes in books so freely recommended by the committee. Mr. Oliver described the alleged campaign which a school book firm was making in these words:

"I have been informed that one of the large publishing companies has sent into Allegheny a corps of six or eight agents who have been dining the teachers on squabs, distributing theater tickets, etc., and under such treatment it was quite natural that flaws could be found in the books in use and that changes seemed desirable."

The board of school controllers held its regular monthly meeting last night. Mr. Oliver's statement was made before adjournment and for the benefit of new members of the board. Mr. Oliver cautioned them to be on their guard concerning the proposed changes in school books, for he had reason to believe that a set campaign had been opened by the publishers, with Allegheny as the center of the contest. He also said:

"Some of our school principals occasionally during vacation acted in the country districts as school book agents. All of these practices, while not illegal, are not conducive to the good of the schools, and I warn the controllers to be on their guard against them."

Mr. Oliver said the text book committee had voted nearly all one way, only two members having been opposed to the report, and he was apprehensive that their action was indicative of a susceptibility to the influences he had described. Mr. Oliver's remarks were occasioned by the presentation of the report of the committee. He directed that the report be passed and the new business taken up, which, when it was reached, was the law directs that newly elected teachers must be consulted concerning the courses of studies to be pursued. It has been customary for the board to act on such matters before new teachers were elected, but this time the requirement of the law would be strictly complied with, as a threat to take the board into court, if the law should be violated, had been made.

Charles Wood's request to place the "Normal Reader" and the "Hyde Grammar" before the board for consideration aroused discussion, several members of the text book committee saying their action in making selections was the result of the consensus of opinion of the teachers generally. Miss Kate McKnight said the report of the committee was the result of great consideration and study of the question. Mr. Wood's request was refused.

A motion to give the high school baseball club $75 was voted down.

PRINCETON FINISHES CLASS OF THEOLOGIANS

Dr. Maitland Alexander of Pittsburgh Prominent in Commencement Exercises.

PRINCETON, N. J., May 5.—The Princeton Theological seminary held its 91st annual commencement today with the largest graduating class for 10 years. The Rev. Dr. Maitland Alexander of Pittsburgh, secretary of the university board, announced the prize winners and graduates, among whom were the following Pennsylvanians: Albert Joseph McCartney, James Herron, Joseph Cowperth Falvey, Samuel Herron, Frank Boyer, Cosea Bonard, Raymond Hiram Wilson, Henry Wilson Miller and Samuel McDowell.

Wilson, the president of the class, is from Pittsburgh and a graduate of Dickinson college, where he was valedictorian of his class and senior year class president. H. W. Miller is a Franklin and Marshall college graduate, where he was for four years regular catcher for the baseball nine. He is from Colwyn, Pa.

President Patton conferred the degree of bachelor of divinity upon Shohkoni Hota of Japan; B. J. Greffin, Cairo, Egypt; J. A. McClure, Front Royal, Va.; W. C. Brewer, Vinton, Ia., and D. A. Thompson, St. Paul, Minn.

A tablet in memory of the Rev. James C. Moffatt, formerly of the chair of church history, was unveiled.

The following fellowships and prizes were announced: The George S. Greene fellowship in Hebrew, yielding $900, W. C. Brewer, Vinton, Ia.; William Henry Green fellowship in Chaldaic and patristic theologies, yielding $600, S. F. Paist, Cornwall, Pa.; first Maitland New Testament prize, Garrett Verkuyt, Parkville, Mo.; Old Testament literature prize, H. M. Robinson, White Bear, Minn.; Scribner prize, New Testament exegesis, $50, T. F. Wallace, Iva, S. C.

The alumni association chose officers this afternoon. The following Pennsylvanians were elected to the executive committee: The Rev. Drs. L. W. Mudge of Downingtown and Robert Montgomery of Ashborne.

HAND OF GRIM REAPER STAYED BY DYING MAN TO PROTECT FAMILY

St. Louis Man Dies After Making Long Trip to Pay Insurance Premium.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

St. Louis, May 5.—From his dying bed Frank S. Powell arose, went down town, paid the premium on his $5,000 life insurance policy and returned home without the knowledge of his wife or any one in the family.

That night he died. The fact that he had left the house did not become known until negotiations toward settling up the policy were begun. Mrs. Powell was positive that she had been with him constantly during his illness and that he certainly could not have been outside the house without her knowing it. When told the agent's story she recalled that her husband had asked her to go down town for something he desired, and had asked her to tell other members of the family that he was not to be disturbed while she was away. She said she had gone down town by the most direct route and had returned without delay. On her arrival at home she found her husband in bed. He said nothing about having left the house and did not mention his life insurance.

Powell was a well-to-do commission man. His illness had lasted barely a week, when it terminated fatally.

"It is the strangest case I ever encountered," said Charles W. Morgan, who conducted the settlement of the policy for the widow. "The evidence would seem conclusive that it would have been impossible for Mr. Powell to leave his home at all, and certainly not to go down town and back without being noticed by any of his family. Yet the agent received the premium on the policy from Powell, whom he knew well. He recalls that Powell looked pale, almost ghostly, and had nothing to say. I am almost tempted to believe that if there is any such thing, Powell projected his astral body into the presence of the agent and paid him in the coin of spirit land. It makes my flesh creep to think about it."

WACHTER DEFEATED

Baltimore Democrats Elect the Mayor, But Republicans Capture the Other Offices.

BALTIMORE, May 5.—(Special.)—The municipal election today resulted: Robert M. McLane, Democrat, mayor; George R. Heffner, Republican, city comptroller; E. Clay Timanus, Republican, president of second branch city council. Both branches of councils will be Republican.

McLane was elected by a majority of 650, while Timanus and Heffner defeated McLane's running mates. McLane's opponent was Congressman Wachter, who was defeated by disgruntled Republicans, who determined to down him as the result of the humiliation to which he subjected them at the recent primaries, when he signally defeated William D. Platt, the organization's candidate for the mayoralty. Wachter says he will contest the election.

Claim Filed Against Cuba.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—Commissioner Dexeter, representing the government of Porto Rico, has presented to the state department a claim of that government against the government of Cuba for about $1,000,000, which he will ask the department to present through the proper diplomatic channels. The claim is based on an alleged loan by Porto Rico to Cuba before the war which resulted in the cession of the island to the United States.

Child Run Over by a Street Car.

Grace Cunningham, the 5-year-old daughter of M. J. Cunningham of Lime street, West End, was run down by a car of the Pittsburgh Railways Company yesterday. Both feet will have to be amputated and the girl has a slight chance of recovery.

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BROWN'S WILL IS TO BE CONTESTED

Recorder's Brother from the West Talks of Insanity and Suicide.

THE CORONER DODGES

Much Interesting Gossip Has Been Started by the Exhumation of the Dead Man's Remains.

That the object in exhuming the remains of the late Recorder J. O. Brown is to learn whether he took poison, and if that supposition is proved to contest his will on the ground of testamentary incapacity, is the only deduction that could be drawn from admissions made yesterday by James Ross Porter Brown, the recorder's brother. The recorder's will left nothing to J. R. P. Brown or to the family of Coroner Jesse McGeary, and it appears to be the purpose of Brown and Coroner McGeary, the latter in behalf of his mother, the late recorder's sister, to try to break the will and thereby reduce the widow of the dead official to her statutory one-third portion of the estate.

The keynote to the recent sensational proceedings instituted by Brown and the coroner is contained in a remark made by Brown yesterday. He was asked what his object was in having an analysis made of his dead brother's vital organs, for as everybody supposed there was no possibility of foul play, the finding of poison would prove suicide, and he was reminded that most people tried to suppress knowledge of the suicide of near relatives.

INSANITY IS NO DISGRACE.

"I have never understood why men think insanity is disgraceful," replied Brown. "Insanity is a visitation of God; something that cannot be avoided, something for which the victim is not personally responsible. Now, it is my opinion that no man who commits suicide is mentally responsible for his actions; he is crazy at the time he commits the deed."

"Supposing then, for argument's sake, that poison should be found in your brother's remains, and it should turn out that poison was administered with suicidal intent, then your theory is that the late recorder was insane."

"Precisely," answered Brown.

"If poison should be found, self-administered, you will, of course, hold that Recorder Brown was insane. Will you then pursue the investigation to determine whether that condition of mental incapacity was of long duration, prior to the making of the will, for example?"

"Ah, that is a leading question," said Brown, "and I decline to answer it."

BROWN MAKES MANY INQUIRIES.

Brown's actions since he came to Pittsburgh are deemed to answer the question as well as any affirmation on his part could. Immediately upon his arrival here he began to investigate the circumstances of his brother's death, and in the pursuit of his inquiry, before he secured a copy of the will, he made many inquiries as to the value of his brother's estate and the provisions of the will. While he was being interviewed yesterday in Coroner McGeary's private office he had on the desk a copy of the late recorder's will. It was a well-thumbed copy, showing that it had figured in many a conference.

It is also well known that Coroner McGeary was much disappointed with the provisions of the will, for he expected that his uncle, the recorder, would leave something, if not to him, at least to his mother, Mrs. Susan McGeary, the recorder's sister. He was visibly astounded when the contents of the will became public and he learned that the widow received the bulk of the estate, and that two of his cousins, Walter R. Black and Elias John, got $25,000 each.

MCGEARY FAMILY ON THE PAYROLL.

The coroner had all along been the best favored of the recorder's nephews. Among J. O. Brown's numerous relatives on the city and county payrolls the coroner had already served one term of three years as coroner at $5,000 a year, and he had entered upon a second term at $6,000 a year. It was natural, therefore, for the coroner to suppose that the greater favor would still be extended to him in his uncle's will.

J. O. Brown's friends are quoted as saying that the very reason why the recorder did not mention the McGeary family in his will was explained by a remark he is alleged to have made months before his death that the McGeary connection was drawing $12,000 a year from the city and county payrolls, and he, therefore, thought he had done enough for them. The utmost that Elias John and Walter Black ever drew in the public service was $2,400 a year.

J. R. P. Brown and Coroner McGeary's two sisters had a long conference in the coroner's private office yesterday, the coroner not being present. Among those who were closeted with the party was Dr. A. J. Barchfeld. What consolation Brown could get from Dr. Barchfeld is not known, for when Brown arrived in Pittsburgh Dr. Barchfeld was quoted in the newspapers as saying that the recorder's mind was perfectly clear up to the time of his death. Dr. Barchfeld is not only a physician, but was a friend of the recorder.

CORONER DODGES REPORTERS.

Coroner McGeary was not in Pittsburgh yesterday. Accompanied by James Fullerton he went to Butler early in the morning and while there let it be known that he had purposely got away from the city to escape being questioned by reporters. While in Butler he visited his cousin, W. B. McGeary, and also hunted up some old friends. He told them that he was dodging reporters and that no one at the office of his home knew where he was. While he talked freely, he was reticent about making statements concerning the death of Recorder Brown. He said that Recorder Brown did not die a natural death—of that he was positive. But whether it was suicide or murder, the coroner would not say. He intimated that the cause of the death might have been slow poisoning, but did not give any reason for such a theory. Coroner McGeary left Butler last night, but before leaving told one of his friends that he would likely remain away from Pittsburgh for several days.

RESULT OF THE ANALYSIS.

Since his arrival from the west the brother of Recorder Brown has talked to scores of persons who knew the recorder. Many of them have told him that they thought the recorder was not entirely in his right mind for some time before his death. It is alleged that the many mysterious absences of the recorder from Pittsburgh were evidence of incipient paresis. When friends asked him where he had been, he affected much mystery of manner and led them to believe that his journeys were connected with matters that meant wealth and other good fortune to him and them.

Mr. Brown assured the reporters yesterday that the result of the analysis of the recorder's vital organs would not be known for at least 10 days, as he had directed the chemists to take their time and make a careful analysis. "As soon as they have made a report the public will know it," said Brown. "There is no object in secrecy. Whether poison is found or not, the report will be given to the public."

Brown asserted that no secrecy was made of the exhumation of the body of his brother in Bull Creek church cemetery, April 25. "There were at least 24 persons in the graveyard when the autopsy was performed," he said, "and 31 persons were in the farm house at dinner, who knew of the exhumation. On our way out to the cemetery I was stopped by old acquaintances whom I had not seen for many years and when they asked me what I was doing there, as they nearly all did, I told them what my errand was. The fact that the body was to be taken up was known to many in advance, and they were requested not to say anything about it until the proceedings were over. Of course, I did not want a big crowd present while the exhumation and autopsy were in progress."

It was learned yesterday that two chemists are making an analysis of the remains. Prof. Eckels of the University of Pennsylvania is reported to have been here last week and to have taken away with him a portion of each of the vital organs and to have been instructed to make an analysis. At the same time Dr. W. H. Ingram of Murray Hill avenue is conducting an analysis. Prof. Eckels obtained his specimens from Dr. Ingram.

WILL CONTEST WILL BE BITTER.

Mrs. McLain, at whose house in McKee place, J. O. Brown died, was seen yesterday. She refused to talk about the case, saying that it was a matter that concerned the recorder's family only.

If there should be a contest of the will it is predicted that the fight will be very bitter. Whatever may have been told J. R. P. Brown regarding the state of his brother's mind, there are many of the recorder's friends who will testify to the perfect clarity of his mind and understanding. Many of them sympathize, too, with Mr. Brown's widow. She had been separated from her husband for two years at least, but it is said that her husband never had a word of blame for her. These friends think the recorder did the correct think in leaving his wife the bulk of his estate. They say that there was no opportunity for her to have used undue influence.

INSPECTING THE ROAD.

No One Desires to Purchase the B., R. & P., Says Mr. Iselin.

Arthur G. Yates, president of the Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh railroad, accompanied by Abram Iselin, Jr., vice-president; J. M. Floesch, chief engineer; George E. Merchant, general superintendent; J. C. Hyde, superintendent of the Pittsburgh division, and Ernest Iselin and H. G. Barbey, guests of the officials, arrived in the city last evening after spending the entire day inspecting this end of the road. The officials paid particular attention to the progress made on the branch running from Punxsutawney to Indiana, which will be 31 miles long. Rails are already down 28 miles. In regard to the report that negotiations were being made to sell this railroad, Mr. Iselin late last night said:

"The report is unfounded. I have not heard that any person desired to purchase the property. I merely looked over the property today and will return to New York tomorrow."

Mr. Yates said the road is in excellent condition. The new branch, he thinks, will be of great benefit to Pittsburgh.

ONE DELEGATE HERE.

First Man Arrives for the Convention of Conductors.

The first delegate to the twenty-ninth biennial convention of the Order of Railway Conductors, which meets here May 12 to 22, arrived in Pittsburgh yesterday afternoon in the person of John D. Condit of Minneapolis, chairman of the jurisprudence committee. He got down to work immediately and made arrangements for a meeting of the committee today. The remaining four members of the committee are expected to arrive on the early morning trains.

Decorators will start to work today on Old City hall arranging it for the convention. The hall is to be draped with the colors of the order—red, white and green—bunting of red, white and blue, and flags of the United States, Canada and Mexico.

Greek Fruit Vender Shoots.

Robert McGraw of Pittsburgh was shot in the head last night shortly after 7 o'clock by Marcellus Petrobish, a Greek fruit vender at the Allegheny end of the Seventh street bridge. The bullet grazed McGraw's right temple, but did not injure him seriously. The shooting was the result of McGraw throwing oranges at the Greek.

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About 400 Delegates Are Expected at the Six-Day Convention.

About 400 delegates are expected to be present at the annual session of the eastern synod of the German Evangelical Lutheran church, which will open today in the First German Evangelical Lutheran church, at Fifth and Sixth avenues. After devotional services this morning the annual report will be read by the president, the Rev. H. H. Walker of York, Pa. In the evening the committees will meet. The convention will last until May 12.

An important subject to be taken up will be that of parochial schools. Many of the old-time members do not look with favor on the latter-day disposition of parents to send their children to the public schools where they do not learn German in the lower grades.

Officers will also be elected at the present session. The present officers are: President, the Rev. H. H. Walker, York, Pa.; vice president, Adolph Blemend, Boston; treasurer, Carl Spilman, Baltimore; secretary, the Rev. Frederick Brand, Pittsburgh.

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POLES TO BUILD MANY LARGE STRUCTURES

Orphan Asylum, Two Schools and a Church to Be Erected This Summer.

There will be activity in the religious, charitable and school lines among the Polish residents of this vicinity the coming summer. A home that will house 300 orphans and will hold 250 aged people is to be built at Emsworth, about 20 acres of land having been secured there between the old Beaver road and the river. The place will be under the care of the Sisters of the Holy Family of Nazareth, for whom a charter was applied yesterday. Father Tomaszewski of St. Stanislaus church, Mother M. Sophia Kulawik and Sisters M. Valentine Kapria, M. Seraphine Sinicka, M. Fruina Skompa, M. Beata Fac, M. Ritta Kalicka and others are the chief movers in the plan.

The building will be a two-story brick, slate roof, hardwood finish, steam heat, electric light and will be 325 feet front, with two wings, one 200 feet deep and the other 125 feet. A chapel will be in the center of the rear and there will be quarters for 50 Polish sisters, who will have charge of the place.

Bids will be taken today for the St. Josepha Polish school house on Mission street, South Side, to cost $75,000.

The corner-stone of the Holy Family school, to cost $70,000, will be laid May 17. It will be located in Forty-first street, Lawrenceville, and will greatly relieve the St. Stanislaus school in Twenty-first street, which is overcrowded.

The corner-stone for the new Polish church at Natrona will be laid on Memorial day, May 30. It will cost from $33,000 to $40,000. Architect S. F. Eckert drew up the plans for all four structures.

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One dozen Coalport Plates—Cobault blue and Dresden—service size—reduced from $165 to $117.50.

One dozen Coalport Plates—breakfast size—Dresden decoration—reduced from $50 to $37.50.

One dozen Minton China Plates—service size—festoon border with heavy incrusted gold—reduced from $135 to $92.

One dozen Crown Derby Plates—breakfast size—floral and heavy gold decorations—reduced from $100 to $72.50.

One dozen Coalport Plates—breakfast size—Cobault and Indian red decoration—reduced from $60 to $45.

One dozen Coalport Plates—large salad size—heavy coin and rosace—reduced from $175 to $125.

One dozen Coalport Salad Plates—Dresden and gold—reduced from $35 to $25.

One dozen China Plates, a reproduction of old Chelsea patterns—reduced from $115 to $77.50.

One dozen Sevres Plates—extra heavy raised gold and Dresden center—reduced from $125 to $92.50.

One dozen fine French China Plates—dinner size—gold and water lily border—reduced from $150 to $100.

One dozen Royal Copenhagen Plates, assorted underglaze floral decoration—reduced from $100 to $72.50.

One dozen Crown Derby Plates—Dresden border decoration—reduced from $60 to $45.

One dozen Doulton Plates—wide Cobault and golden border—reduced from $55 to $37.50.

One dozen fine Adderly China Plates—dinner size—large rose and solid gold decoration—reduced from $150 to $112.50.

One dozen Crescent China Dessert Plates—reduced from $37.50 to $26.50.

One dozen Lowestoft Plates—reproductions—reduced from $35 to $27.50.

One dozen Wedgewood China Plates—breakfast size—Cobault and elaborate gold—reduced from $85.00 to $58.00.

One dozen Napoleon Monogram Plates—Cobault and gold border—reduced from $50 to $37.50.

One dozen Fine Dresden Plates, with heavy coin gold, reduced from $45 to $32.50.

One dozen Doulton Plates—l'Art Nouveau border—reduced from $100 to $72.50.

One dozen Wedgewood Plates—blue and heavy gold border—reduced from $125 to $92.50.

One dozen Minton Plates—garland of roses and gold border—service size—reduced from $90 to $62.50.

One dozen Doulton Plates—dinner size—Cobault and elaborate gold—reduced from $75 to $52.50.

One dozen Crown Derby Service Plates—delicate Dresden and gold decoration—reduced from $95 to $72.50.

One dozen Wedgewood Service Plates—Cobault with coin gold border—reduced from $100 to $67.50.

One dozen Minton Service Plates—ivory surface, with beautiful green and gold border—reduced from $95 to $72.50.

One dozen Coalport Service Plates—delicate Cobault and gold—reduced from $65 to $47.50.

One dozen Coalport Service Plates—Cobault border with birds of Paradise—reduced from $75 to $60.

One dozen Crown Derby Service Plates—festoon of roses and Cobault border—reduced from $60 to $42.50.

One dozen Wedgewood Service Plates—rich red and heavy all-over gold decoration—reduced from $100 to $67.50.

One dozen Coalport Salad Plates—Cobault and Dresden—reduced from $60 to $45.

One dozen Coalport Service Plates—Cobault and heavy raised gold—reduced from $87.50 to $47.50.

One dozen Wedgewood Service Plates—decorated with pink border—relieved by rich gold—reduced from $110 to $77.50.

One dozen Minton Service Plates, with double garland of roses border—coin gold—reduced from $90 to $67.50.

One dozen Minton Service Plates—rich turquoise enamel festoon and gold border—reduced from $60 to $47.50.

One dozen Crown Derby Service Plates—Cobault and green festooned border with rich coin gold—reduced from $75 to $57.50.

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Wednesday, May 6, 1903.

Westmoreland county will try once more to get a new court house, which all agree is much needed by that populous county. Bids will be invited for the fourth time, eliminating several features of expensive ornamentation, and it may be hoped that this time a contract may be awarded free from all suspicion. This Westmoreland court house matter has been pending for years, and while it has contributed somewhat to the gaiety of neighboring counties it has not been wholly creditable to the populous and prosperous star of the west. Controller Brown is entitled to some distinction in having prevented proposed extravagances.

By our London cable advices it may be seen that Mr. Ritchie's first budget is not altogether popular among our British cousins. The abolition of the grain duty was generally welcomed, but postponement of its effect until July has had its serious aspect for the shipping interests. The income tax reduction is not universally welcomed. It brings relief principally to those who live off permanent investments. And it is pointed out by our correspondent that the income tax is not as equitable as it appears. It taxes firms upon its output, which is its whole capital, while it taxes permanent investments only upon the annual increment. The point is pertinent and well taken.

The arrival in New York of a yacht equipped with steam turbines instead of reciprocating engines marks another step toward adoption of the new style motor. This vessel crossed the Atlantic in the face of severe gales, was buffeted until it showed its bilge keels out of water, but performed satisfactorily throughout. The veteran master in charge declared it efficient, thoroughly seaworthy and absolutely without vibration. This testimony gives material support to Admiral Melville's advocacy of the turbine for some of the new warships of the United States, for stability and absence of vibration are of great moment to the gunner aiming to drive his projectile home. As for speed, the turbine long ago proved its claims to consideration.

It appears from current accounts that the collision between steamers off Hog island is to be classed among preventable accidents. The testimony of navigators is that on each vessel they heard the fog horn of the other, but held to their respective courses, one at a speed of nine and the other ten miles an hour. The fog and darkness were so dense that neither vessel was seen from the other until the terrible impact that sent men and women to their doom. The thought is inevitable that prudence should have dictated stoppage of the engines of both vessels until the direction of the fog horn signals could be clearly made out. The sea has enough dangers of its own without the addition of human negligence, or recklessness. A few hours' delay by a coaster would not alter the course of history or evolution.

The re-election of Charles M. Schwab as president of the United States Steel Corporation should put a full stop to the rumormongers. During the past year Mr. Schwab has been made the victim of the most persistent campaign of rumor-mongering ever witnessed in this country. Be it said with shame this dallying with the private affairs of a brilliant business man was begun in Pittsburgh. It pursued Mr. Schwab across the Atlantic, along the Mediterranean and back home. Now it is time to drop it. Mr. Schwab is all right. He has been all right. If at any time he desires to retire from his onerous duties as president of the largest corporation in the world, or if he desires to temporarily lay aside his cares and enjoy himself, it is his privilege to do so, and he ought not to be pursued by malignant rumors, without foundation.

Advices from Santo Domingo inform us that the Velasquez government has fallen and Wosy Gil has been proclaimed provisional president. For this a bloody war has been waged for months; cities have been sacked and farms devastated; to get the name of Wosy Gil in print. Possibly the cable may change the spelling tomorrow and make the new president Woozy, or it may make him Gill. But it must not under any circumstances deprive us altogether of the euphony suggested. Woozy he may be, or Gillie, but he is provisional president of a backyard republic and in a class with the Akkoond of Swat. His cognomen deserves to live with that of the man from Hoquendaugua and Abe Slupsky, the eminent educator of Missouri. It is altogether superior to Hoke Smith for poetical purposes and is hardly equaled by any other name in history for suggestiveness of the sort of government they have in some of the West Indies.

A recently issued government report on street and electric railways for the year ending June 30, 1902, shows that under our system of depending upon private enterprise for the prosecution of such enterprises a far more extensive development is obtained than under the British system of municipal management. There are 22,589 miles of such roads in this country with a total capital account of stock and bonds amounting to $2,145,606,645, an average of $94,985 per mile of road. A British government return for the same period shows only 1,484 miles of road with an authorized capital of $258,387,355, of which the sum of $157,811,335 has been expended, amounting to $106,341 a mile. Only 7,752 cars are run in the United Kingdom, as compared with 67,199 in this country, and there are only 870 miles of electric railway. Great Britain lags far behind this country in street and electric railway development. This is largely accounted for by the way in which steam railways traverse every district and provide accommodations for suburban traffic.

The Democratic Ferment.

The various eastern Democrats, except Cleveland, who have from time to time had their names associated in the public prints with mention of the Democratic nomination for the presidency, are in at least temporary eclipse. The Hill boom collapsed when Bird S. Coler failed to capture the governorship of New York. The Olney boom bloomed in a night and then wilted. The Parker boom never had any real strength, the judge being deemed generally a good man, but of uncertain weight. The Gorman boom really never boomed, partly because Mr. Gorman himself did not seem to consider wind and weather favorable. In the west, owing to the circumstance of continued Republican supremacy in Cincinnati, the Ingalls boom died before it was born. The Tom Johnson boom, which has its headquarters in Cleveland, enjoyed a brief mention after his success in the city campaign, but was up against the circumstance that the Harrison boom in Chicago had just as good claim to be fertilized with national Democratic favor. The Harrison boom, being as provincial or as purely municipal as the Tom Johnson boom, has ceased to attract attention. Thus east and west there is a gradual elimination of possibilities, and amid the wreck of matter and the crush of worlds of hope two figures loom pre-eminent, the one on the eastern and the other on the western horizon, as rivals for the favors of Miss Democracy.

More and more it looks as if these two must join in a death grapple as champions of rival schools of Democratic party thought. Of course, there is no telling what a day may bring forth, but, in spite of Bryan's declarations that he won't and Cleveland's that he will not, the divinity that shapes men's ends regardless of how they rough hew them or what their plans may be, is forcing them to the center of the stage, into the full glare of the limelight, there to have it out until the committee on credentials or the roll-call decides who's who in the Democratic party, or to be more accurate, what's what, for it is what rather than who that is in the balance, for who represents what. The contest promises to be a sharp one, but, as has been pointed out before, it is less an attempt to get in position for 1904 than to get the Democratic party shaped and harmonized for 1908.

European Echoes.

European echoes of President Roosevelt's speech at Chicago on the Monroe doctrine are now being heard. In that speech President Roosevelt declared that the Monroe doctrine "not only forbids us to acquiesce in territorial acquisitions on the American continent by European powers, but also causes us to object to the acquirement of a control which in its effect would be equal to territorial aggrandizement." This is not an extension of the Monroe doctrine, but simply preserves its original scope. President Monroe in his famous message of December 2, 1823, referring to the Spanish-American countries, said that "we could not view any interposition for the purpose of oppressing them or controlling in any other manner their destiny, by any European power, in any other light than as the manifestation of an unfriendly disposition toward the United States." European critics, however, treat the president's Chicago utterance as a new development of the Monroe doctrine which affords a fresh illustration of American insolence. English journals, while not admitting that the Monroe doctrine has any standing in international law, approve it as a rule of national policy in which England supports America. The German press rages over it as a presumption which deserves rebuke and which eventually will be rebuked.

Abundant warning of the purposes of Germany is not contained in the current literature of that country. There is a large output of works discussing world politics and German national destiny, and in such works America figures as a power which lies athwart the legitimate aspirations of Germany and which must be overthrown in the fulfillment of Germany's mission. It is regarded as simply a question of time and means when the conflict will take place. The Samoan dispute, quite forgotten in this country, rankles in the memory of German publicists. It occupies a prominent position in a work published in 1900 which ran through four editions the first year of publication. The author admits that there is no present opportunity for redress, but remarks: "Germany had to wait 200 years until it could avenge the robbery of Strasburg. Why should it not wait another two centuries for revenge on the outrage of Samoa?" The author, while coupling England and the United States as enemies who must be humbled, anticipates that the first conflict will come with England, after which the United States will be taken in hand. To this view another writer dissents, taking the ground that the first conflict will come with the United States, which will be defeated by sea and by land. Having crippled the United States, Germany may then more safely proceed to attack England.

Such declarations have no official sanction and would be promptly disavowed by the German government if brought to its attention, but they are indications of national sentiment which it would be foolish to disregard. The Monroe doctrine shuts off a rich continent from the process of partition and occupation which has been going on in every other part of the world. It rests upon our national interest and has no claim upon the respect of other nations save as we are able to enforce it. If we fail to keep ourselves in a position to do so, we invite attack.

The Spirit of Fairness.

There continues to be much discussion of the problem of organization of capital and labor in the periodical press. The idea advanced by Mr. Carpenter that large employing corporations should have labor departments for the solution of difficulties in their incipiency and the adjustment of wages to changing conditions has met considerable favor among employers and with thoughtful union men. A number of arguments have since appeared along similar lines, as opposed to the radical condemnation of all unionism by President Parry and Mr. Post of the National Association of Manufacturers.

The discussion has made it apparent that there are union men who disapprove of violence in every form and who have no sympathy with radicalism. The fact was quite widely known before, but ought now to be impressed even upon Mr. Parry if he has followed the commentators other than Senator Hanna. This is the keystone to the arch of Mr. Carpenter's argument, that the employer may avoid the annoyance of unjust demands and petty grievance by giving recognition to the unions and encouraging the best men in them to obtain control and to hold the important official positions.

A good many cases have been cited by one or another among the writers of corporations that have adopted the policy of friendly recognition of the unions. In all of these cases it is alleged the friction between employers and employes has been on a decreasing scale. The conservative, civil workmen have become the leaders of the unions, shutting out the irresponsible demagogues who have no aim in life except to stir up trouble and foment grievances. The men in general have come to understand that their real grievances will be given careful consideration and that many of them have been redressed even before being formulated. Some of the employers referred to bear testimony that they are getting their work done more satisfactorily under the new system, and their workmen do not hesitate to say they are far better satisfied with their conditions of employment.

Much of the trouble between labor and capital, as in the anthracite coal region, grows out of the feeling on both sides that there is nothing in common between them. The employer is sure his labor is lying in wait, ready to take advantage of the first favorable circumstance to extort from him an unjust condition. The workmen, on the other hand, are morally certain the employer is trying to bring about conditions that will enable him to reduce wages and increase his own profit. Inevitably trouble comes often under such circumstances. Once such ideas are fixed in men's minds it is difficult to dislodge them. It is a hard task to overcome prejudice and establish an understanding that justice will be done on either side. Yet it seems that genuine business management of the labor department; intelligent treatment of the whole subject is sufficient to eliminate the greater part of engendered prejudice and to create a feeling of mutual confidence and consideration.

For Our Own Flag.

Now that the excitement over the recently exploited intentions of Russia has been allayed by means of friendly communication between diplomats and foreign officials and by correspondence between capitals, it may be worth while to recall for a moment in connection therewith the accusation of the committee representing the United Irish societies of New York that the American state department "has a settled purpose to serve British at the expense of American interests." The pertinency of this accusation to the recent Russia-Manchurian incident was not too apparent when it was made, but it is less apparent now that the incident is practically closed.

To go back of the matter that called forth the charge, how did the state department exhibit a settled purpose to serve British at the expense of American interests in the Venezuelan affair? Can the United Irish societies suggest anything? To other observers it has appeared that in that matter the state department served only Venezuelan and American interests. A diplomat accredited by the state department to Venezuela was authorized by the same state department to take up the cause of Venezuela, and he prosecuted its case to such good purpose that he won a very complete victory over English diplomacy and by moral strength forced the raising of the siege of Venezuelan ports. Incidentally he gained a victory over Germany and Italy, who were in league with Great Britain, which in no sense minimizes the fact that if there was a settled purpose to serve British interests it was manifested in a very peculiar manner.

If any British interest was served in the controversy with Russia with regard to Manchuria, it was merely incidental to the protection of our own interests, and British interests profited no more than the interests of other countries that are benefited by the preservation of treaty rights in the Chinese province where Russia aims at supremacy. The American state department refused to adopt the hysterical view of the Anglo-Japanese alliance. Instead of joining the outcry it attended to its own business in its own way in a perfectly frank and friendly spirit, and Russia met it in similar fashion, knowing that it was dealing with a power that had a settled purpose to serve its own interests alone, and not to subordinate them to the interests of another power. The United Irish societies of New York have need to look the facts in the face. The United States is a big nation, and it has become big and strong by attending strictly, faithfully and painstakingly to its own affairs. Its state department is to be given credit for doing this in all the foreign relations of the country. It serves American interests only, and it has served them well. It flies the American flag always.

The government of Pittsburgh is becoming more difficult. A month ago the problem was to make one job satisfy a dozen earnest men, but the present problem is to make one job satisfy a hundred much more earnest men.

Senator Hanna is right that there is "significance in the talk of our Democratic friends about Cleveland." For further particulars see the Hon. W. J. Bryan.

President Roosevelt can do as much traveling as King Edward and the Emperor William without getting into any other fellow's territory.

Mr. Cleveland is considered by many citizens to have succeeded so well in private life that it would be too bad to remove him from it.

It will be noted that the Yale junior who has been offered the presidency of Haiti isn't to get it until after the conquest of the island.

The annual report of the Pittsburgh Railways Company shows that the people of Pittsburgh do a great deal of traveling.

It was made very pleasant for King Edward in Portugal, Italy and France, but there is no place like 'ome, hafter hall.

Anyway, the proposed tech site is there to stay, unless some one comes along and sets something down on it.

Mr. Carnegie can take comfort that the ton of letters that awaited him in London might have been two tons.

The wicked people in the postoffice department, it may be remarked, have been given a Payne.

This spring's brand of Kentucky feud is very much like the previous ones.

IN THE EYE OF FAME.

The young duchess of Marlborough has a father, a mother, a stepfather and a stepmother.

The bi-centennial of the birth of Jonathan Edwards, the greatest theologian of this country in the 18th century, will be observed at Yale on October 5, 1903.

Prof. Jenks of Cornell has been granted a year's leave of absence by the trustees so that he can serve on the international exchange commission, to which he was appointed by President Roosevelt.

The king of Spain, in spite of the reports to the contrary which have been circulated, is said to be in excellent health. The celebrated Prof. Lorenz of Vienna paid King Alfonso a visit a short time ago when he was passing through Madrid, and reported that the young king was perfectly robust.

Eugene H. Lehman, the young Colorado college student, who was the first American to be awarded a Rhodes scholarship at Oxford, worked his way through Yale, where he got employment as a tutor at $1 a day and wheeled an invalid in her chair for 25 cents an hour. His credentials showed a higher percentage than those submitted by 20 other students.

T. W. Russell, M. P. for South Tyrone, and an ex-minister of the crown, is the son of a Scottish stonemason, and commenced his life of hard labor as a boy of 10. Nine years later, having completed his apprenticeship, he found a situation—"an ill-equipped, penniless, delicate lad"—in the very division of Tyrone which he has for so many years represented in parliament.

One of Pennsylvania's Sons.

From the Harrisburg Patriot.

Pennsylvanians have a way of making themselves felt, and one of them has recently been honored in Rome for his achievements as an explorer. The Royal Italian Geographical society has just given a reception in Rome to Dr. A. Donaldson Smith of Philadelphia, a noted explorer, and King Victor Emanuel has also granted him an audience. Although a young man, Dr. Smith has done pioneer work in the wilds of northern Africa, has made the first accurate charts of the region between Lake Rudolf and the Upper Nile, and has collected more than a thousand specimens of unknown flora and fauna. He has received many medals for his explorations and his state can well be proud of her son.

Politics and Journalism.

From the Washington Star.

Mr. Bryan, after two unsuccessful attempts to reach the White House, started a newspaper, and is said to be making it pay. Mr. Mason of Illinois, after an unsuccessful attempt to succeed himself in the senate, announced a purpose to start a newspaper. As he is a lively sort of man he ought to make the venture pay. Mr. Jones of Toledo, re-elected to the mayoralty of that town, announces a purpose to start a newspaper. And so it seems that politics has no sorrows that journalism cannot heal, and no joys that it cannot make the greater. It is a great profession, although there are politicians, as, for instance, in Pennsylvania, who would be glad to suppress newspapers altogether.

An Object Lesson.

From the Philadelphia North American.

Three ministerial arbiters of the Chicago stock yard strike, who awarded 30 cents an hour to engineers instead of 37½ cents demanded by the Engineers' union, presented a bill for $1,000 each for their services. The Engineers' union decided that if 30 cents an hour was pay enough for a workingman it must be enough for a pulpiteer, and the bills were cut down to that rate, making the compensation of the arbiters $14 40 each. As an object lesson in economics the incident is not without value, but it may be doubted that the arbiters fully appreciate it.

The Straphangers.

From the Philadelphia Press.

The Straphangers' league, which had its origin in Chicago, has spread to Pittsburgh, where those who have to hang to straps in the street cars outnumber those who are able to get seats. The Straphangers' league should make its way east. Philadelphia has many thousand of citizens who are eligible to membership.

Lack of Delivery.

From the Chicago Record-Herald.

The man who stole a horse from Frank James and Cole Younger, who are running a wild west show, certainly lacked delicacy of feeling.

His Useless Voyage.

From the Rochester Democrat and Chronicle.

Gen. Miles could have got as many rumors and hearsay complaints by calling on Herbert Welsh or Edward Atkinson.

JONAH AT THE GATE.

A city filled with purple sin;
A mighty place of wickedness,
All white without and black within;
Its virtues ever growing less.
The sound of dancing in the street
And song and curses in the hall;
And borne on slow, unwilling feet,
A Jonah nears the city wall—
A Jonah stands beside the gate
And chants the stern decree of fate.

A Jonah calls the curses down.
There, where they listen open-eyed:
Then hodden in his dusty gown
He turns and walks away with pride.
He climbs the low, embowered hill
And looks to see the city die—
But God repents him of his will.
Then Jonah cries: "A fool was I!"
A Jonah at the city gate,
Full sorry at the change of fate.

Today, how many men but look
At all the bad their brother does,
And shout he shall be brought to book
If ever seeming sinner was!
But God, He knows the heart of man,
And ever has—and ever could
With His all-comprehensive scan
Discern some little trace of good.
Yet Jonah, at the city gate,
'Mid withered gourdvines, rails at fate.
—W. D. Nesbit, in Chicago Tribune.

The Quiet Observer.

ERASMUS WILSON.

Great fleas have little fleas
Upon their backs to bite 'em,
And little fleas have lesser fleas,
And so on ad infinitum.
And the great fleas themselves,
In turn, have greater fleas to go on,
While these again have greater still,
And greater still, and so on.
—De Morgan.

Thus it is that we live on each other, for, in a sense, we are no more than fleas—not the same as fleas, but no more than fleas in the sense of being God's creatures.

Of course you are of more account than a flea, in a sense, but you may know some people who are not.

To say that a man is as mean as a flea is to say a pretty mean thing about him, and yet there are men who are meaner than any flea; that is, as far as being an annoyance and a nuisance is concerned.

Haven't you known some people whom you disliked more than fleas? In spite of all your hints, sly rubs and pitches, they would continue to hang around, neb in where not wanted, and keep up a continual nagging, until it seemed you could only find relief in jumping onto some one and nag and pester and provoke them unto wrath.

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It will be more nearly correct, perhaps, to say we live off of, rather than upon each other.

Anyway, the fact remains just the same, that no individual, man, beast, bird or insect, is entirely independent, but is in some way dependent upon its kind, also upon creatures higher than itself, and lower, too.

We say the rich and powerful among us live off of the weak and poor; and it is just as true that the weak and poor live off of those who are richer and more powerful than themselves.

The rich, or rather the wealthy, do seem to live off of the poorer classes, but the fact is that instead of living off of them they live on them; that is, on their labor. No man can run a mill, tend a store, or build a house alone; but having a talent for business he lays the plans and others do the work.

In this way he lives, or thrives, on the working class, in a sense, yet he gets his wealth from those who have it to spare, and gives by far the greater part to the workmen who made it possible for him to draw on the wealthy ones.

The manufacturer, builder and tradesmen are really go-betweens. The rich will not hand money out to the needy, like feed to chickens, but they will give it to these go-betweens, and the industrious classes know how to get it out of them—work it out.

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Sometimes, when you hear of a rich man spending money for this luxury and that trinket, you may think him foolish, seeing that he could live on a small part of it. And then you think of yourself, and how glad you would be to get just a little of that which he is, to your mind, throwing away.

The fleas are onto him, don't forget, and if you keep on the hop and the jump you will get onto some of them, by and by.

He buys an automobile, paying a large sum of money for it. Were you to do the same thing you would be called all sorts of a fool. But you are not that sort of a flea; therefore you couldn't do it without violating the proprieties.

He lays the money down in a pile, and right off other fleas begin clearing the pile down and carrying the stuff away. The blacksmith, machinist, painter, joiner, upholsterer and salesman each get a slice; but as soon as they get back to their shops another lot of fleas hop onto it and carry it away piecemeal.

And this is not the end, for there are other fleas waiting for these—the grocer, the milkman, the doctor, preacher and others, and still others are ready to hop onto these ad infinitum.

Thus it is that the rich man gets rid of his money. The fleas are onto him hot-footed and red-headed, and there are others onto these, and so on, and maybe you are among them, and it depends largely on your activity and perseverance whether you get much or little of the swag.

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But it will not do to go on this way altogether, for the swag would soon play out. There must be some who understand how to gather it into piles again.

While any sort of an old flea can scatter swag, it takes a good one to bunch it. In fact, he has to be built that way. He may not know when he starts out whether he is a gatherer or a scatterer, but he goes to work, and works according to his own feelings, and the results show to which class he belongs. If he can see farther, or clearer than other gatherers, and has a better nerve, he will have a bigger pile.

A big pile looks fine, and can be seen a great way off—so far that fleas who scatter come pouring in from near and from far. Among these are fleas of every size, shape, color and character in existence, and without much respect or sympathy one for the other.

Thus you see the gatherer is liable to have trouble over his pile if he wants to continue adding to it. He never could keep it growing by sitting on it, or putting it under lock and key. He knows a better way. He allows the other fleas to carry it away, but with a string tied to which he can prevent it from getting entirely away. This plan suits all concerned, even if they are using the same old swag over and over. And it is just as good as new, having been freshly gathered into the pile.

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It may not be generally known, yet it is a fact that there is less idle money in this country than in any other in the civilized world. With the exception of a comparatively small reserve it is working right along. You have often heard that money makes money. Well, that is what it is doing, and doing it all right, as shown by the prosperity gauge.

You may imagine that those whom we call wealthy have money lying idle in safes, vaults, barrels and boxes where they can get it as they need it. But it is not that way. They not only keep every dollar at work, but work on their credit.

You would as soon take a man's note as his money, if his credit is good, for you can use his credit by adding your own, if you should need the money before it comes due.

A man's wealth is not measured by the number of dollars he can call his own, but by the credit standard. Nor is his credit fixed by his visible, or available assets alone, but by his honesty, integrity and his known capacity for business.

The fact that his living costs him more each day than yours amounts to in a week does not matter. Indeed, that is a perfectly legitimate way in which to scatter his surplus, for it goes directly into the hands of those who most need it.

So, let him eat, drink and be merry, buy autos, fast horses and live in a big house, for then he will have to employ lots of help, and buy lots of things, some of which may be in your line.

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Are you a gatherer or a scatterer?

Don't say you would be a gatherer if you had a fair chance, because you have all the chance that you can have. Maybe you are tied up in some way that prevents you from gathering where the swag seems to lie thickest. But if you are one of the kind that can be tied up so tight and fast that you can't cut loose, you are liable to get tied up at any stage of the game.

You may have gone into a berry patch where the berries appeared to always be finer and more plentiful than somewhere else where you stood. But when you got to what had seemed a good place to gather, you found it no better than the one you had left, and you may have kept going from place to place until others had gathered all the good ones.

In such a case as this you could not blame those who gathered abundantly by sticking to their work while you were chasing around looking for a place where you could gather without being industrious. Nor would they be to blame if they should strike a rich streak, either by accident or through the exercise of good judgment.

After all, when lesser fleas get on to you the proper caper is for you to get on to greater ones, and do your best to get all the stuff from them you can by fair means, so you may give to the lesser ones something worth scratching for.

Russian Development.

From the Denver Republican.

The explanation given by Count Cassini, Russian ambassador to the United States, makes it clear, as far as an expression of views can do so, that Russia has no intention of checking American trade in Manchuria. There may be no treaty ports opened, but American goods will obtain entrance to the provinces through other avenues. In considering Russian plans it should always be borne in mind that Russia is seeking first of all the development of its territory. It has no desire to wage war on Great Britain, China or any other power.

Talked of in New York

GEORGE C. JENKS.

(By Private Wire to The Gazette.)

NEW YORK, May 5.—It is generally conceded here that the court could not do anything more with Harry Rose, the actor who killed his wife, than send him to an insane asylum. While it may be true that he was shamming insanity while in the Tombs, it seems to be equally certain that his mind is clouded now. The law is merciful enough not to put an insane person on trial for his life, and the actor, therefore, may never be tried for the slaying of his wife last September, unless it should be determined in course of time that he has recovered his reason. It is so seldom that a man charged with murder in this city escapes a trial, at least, that the case of Rose has attracted general attention, and the testimony as to the state of his mind has been studied by everyone. Whether he was in his right senses when he killed his wife may never be determined. The chances are that if he is insane now, so he was then, but a jury may have to make up its collective mind whether he was so far disturbed mentally that he did not realize what his crime meant. It is not likely, however, according to the alienists who have studied Rose's case, that he will ever be entirely a sane man again. The form of melancholia from which he is suffering is more likely to end in death than recovery, and probably the case is closed so far as the public is concerned with the condemning of the unfortunate man to the Matteawan state hospital for the insane.

Tragedy or Joke—Which?

A policeman found a woman's hat, with several stones in it, on the recreation pier of the East river at One Hundred and Twelfth street today. It was a portentous find for the policeman. He was convinced that it meant the suicide of a woman, and he reported at the police station that he suspected some unknown of drowning herself. The body has not been found and the discovery is a mystery, unless an explanation is hinted at in the raucous laughter of a group of boys who were peeping around the corner as the policeman wore ghastly theories with the woman's hat in his hand.

Congress Gaiters and Suicide.

In connection with the growing popularity of congress gaiters in New York I am reminded that a large percentage of the drowned bodies of men fished out of the rivers or the Central park reservoir are shod with this kind of boot. What connection there is between self-destruction and elastic-side shoes or boots has never been explained, but any park policeman will assure you that five out of six men who drown themselves in Central park are wearers of the congress gaiters. It may be that this particular style of shoe induces melancholy, or the lugubrious philosophy that nothing matters in this world, so one may as well leave it. The park policeman, who is anything but an imaginative personage, doesn't know about that, but does know positively that he would not wear congress gaiters unless he were tired of life. In spite of this, however, there are more men wearing them just now than has been the case for a decade.

Care Less for Boxing Exhibitions.

There is no doubt that New York cares less for boxing as a public amusement than it did three or four years ago. The repeal of the Horton law, which used to allow boxing for points, but not finish fights, has gradually weaned the majority of New Yorkers from the pleasure of witnessing a rattling mill, such as used to take place nearly every night in this city in some athletic club or another, to say nothing of the star performances in Madison Square garden at frequent intervals. Jim Corbett left New York today for California and no one seems to care. Some of the papers give a few lines to the departure, while others do not mention it at all. Only one paper devotes any considerable space to it—about half a column—and there is nothing enthusiastic even in that. Jim Corbett may go to San Francisco and "knock the block off" Jeffries and New York will receive the news with perfect equanimity. The boxing game is decidedly dead in Gotham, although there may be a resurrection should favorable legislation be obtained at any time.

Valet Revives Old Custom.

A Japanese valet having his hair curled in a Herald square barber shop was the unusual sight that attracted attention tonight. Men do not often have their hair curled nowadays. Twenty years ago it was a common vanity for a New Yorker when going to some reception or to visit the young lady of his choice, to submit himself to the curling-tongs. But he has outgrown that kind of thing now. The Jap seemed to have determined to set the fashion again, but what that barber suffered in trying to twist that harsh, wiry black hair around his hot tongs without burning it off, only the man that next passed under his hands and received his tonsorial confidence can tell.

Common Sense Tempers Law's Harshness.

It is an axiom that a law too harsh defeats its own ends. The health department of New York, spurred on by several women's associations, has been trying to abolish spitting in public conveyances, in stations and in buildings where people pass in and out at will. The statute provides that a fine of $200 and imprisonment for one year may be the penalty for violation of the law in this respect. The custom has been to grab anyone caught spitting, without regard to the evident intention or otherwise of the offender, and take him to a cell. The health department has resolved now to give the unfortunate one a chance. The conductor or other official will, on seeing him spit, hand him a small card on which is printed a reminder that he is breaking the law. If he does it again, he is arrested. This makes a distinction between the wanton offender and the accidental spitter, which has been receiving with general approval, and it is believed that the sanitary condition of the city will be none the worse, and most likely better, for this merciful and commonsense administration of the law.

Mrs. Carlisle and the Horse.

Mrs. John G. Carlisle, wife of the ex-secretary of the treasury, is, like most women, a lover of horses. When one of the horses in her carriage fell and was hurt in Washington square this afternoon, she was out of the carriage and at the horse's head, talking soothingly to him, almost as soon as her coachman had got down from the box. The horse lay on its side without trying to get up, when someone shouted: "Take a whip to him." Mrs. Carlisle turned on the fellow with blazing eyes, as she said: "Any man who strikes that horse with a whip will regret it." There was a murmur of applause, of which Mrs. Carlisle took no notice, as she stood stroking the neck of her favorite until an ambulance of the S. P. C. A. arrived. The horse died on the way to the hospital. Mrs. Carlisle will have him buried in the country.

Rowers on the Water Again.

The Harlem river has begun to take on the gay aspect that is always a sign that spring has well advanced, in the presence of many rowers in their shells. The river was crowded with boats this afternoon, and there is no doubt that many a good spin will be seen there as the season advances. The warm weather has brought out all the crews in Manhattan, apparently.

Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels today:

Manhattan.
C. E. Arensberg.
J. H. Reed.

Holland.
H. P. Dope.
Edward Kerr.
James Hardy.
Misses Atwood.
J. N. Atwood.

Hoffman.
C. A. Birkle.
A. E. Rogers.
Julius Doer.

Albemarle.
Mrs. Stewart McKee.

St. George.
C. McKeown.

Fifth Avenue.
R. J. Pollard.
Thomas B. Ritter.
R. F. Shandrew.
Mrs. Shannon.
T. A. Mellon.
R. B. Allen.
William M. Allen, Jr.
Winthrop Allen.

Victoria.
O. A. Miller.
B. N. Rose.

Ashland.
Mrs. A. F. McNally.

Raleigh.
C. Jack.

Herald Square.
S. Kochen.
H. A. Low.

Navarre.
T. E. Storey.
I. J. Rosenthal.

Vendome.
T. Meighan.

Union Square.
A. Vivian.

Broadway Central.
R. L. Clevenger.
F. F. Golden.
E. E. Kincaid.
D. Burke.

St. Denis.
A. H. Keith.
C. W. Costello.
John C. Kennedy.
Mrs. Kennedy.
Miss Eleanor McCrea.
Miss McCrea.

Continental.
Mrs. E. McManus.
Miss Wood.

Imperial.
Charles Slocum.
C. A. Slocum.
A. A. Rogers.
H. Waldell.
G. A. Dittinger.
Mrs. Dittinger.
William R. Neal.
Mrs. Neal.

That Cleveland Boom.

The scarcity of strong and available Democratic candidates for president next year has caused several political speculators in the Democratic press to point out Grover Cleveland once more as a man of destiny, a son of fortune, and the personification of luck.

But there are two conditions in Grover Cleveland's present relation to public affairs, one personal and the other political, which would bar him out of the presidency in the sober consideration of the people.

The first is that he will be in his 66th year in 1904, and no matter how good a doctor's certificate he might furnish as to his mental and physical soundness until he should be 72 years old, there would be little disposition to take the risk of repeating the vacancy in the presidential office which happened the only time in the history of the country when a president was elected at Cleveland's age. The second, and the stronger of the two reasons, is that the unwritten law against a third term has not been suspended and is not likely to be on the part of the present generation of Americans for any man.—Philadelphia Bulletin.

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Not a sound has come from Mr. Bryan since the present talk about Mr. Cleveland as a candidate was started. It is said that he departed with all possible speed from St. Louis when he heard of Mr. Cleveland's approach, not wishing to stand the dangers of a comparison in popularity between a man who had twice been elected to the presidency and one who had been twice defeated for the same office, but this is probably an erroneous interpretation of his haste. The chances are that he was hurrying back to his editorial "sanctum" to compose his views upon the Cleveland boom for the next issue of his paper.—New York Commercial Advertiser.

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Even if the prejudice against a third term could be allayed there would remain the opposition of Mr. Bryan and the large element in the Democratic party he controls. Mr. Bryan is not making any secret of his opinion as to the suggested nomination of Mr. Cleveland. He has openly proclaimed his opposition, and a recent dispatch from Washington to the Boston Globe asserts that Mr. Bryan is resolved to bolt in case Mr. Cleveland is nominated, and not only advise his followers to do the same, but to urge them to vote for President Roosevelt's re-election. As the voters whom Mr. Bryan controls are the men who turned the scale in favor of Cleveland in 1892, and without whose help he could not be elected again, Mr. Cleveland must know that his chances of success, even if nominated, would be slim indeed.—Philadelphia Press.

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The Cleveland enthusiasts who see a fourth nomination and a third term ahead of their idol are likely to take a more practical view of the possibilities of the situation when they come to sit down and do some hard thinking on the ballots cast in 1896 and 1900—the Bryan ballots in particular. We shall take it for granted that Mr. Cleveland or any other Democrat could carry the solid south, but when he has done that he is a million miles away from election, as was Mr. Bryan when he carried the solid south. When we look at other states which it would be necessary for him to carry to come even within sight of an electoral college majority the figures of the Bryan vote are very instructive, for the great mass of the Bryan voters hate Mr. Cleveland and his followers like poison, attributing to them the slaughter of their candidate in the two silver campaigns.—New York Press.

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Mr. Cleveland is a positive quantity. He stands for something that can be defined and handled. He has not as many votes as Mr. Bryan to show for his leadership of the party, but he has something more than that. He was twice successful at the polls. The party under his leadership twice feasted on the loaves and fishes of office. He is the logical man to lead, he points and leads the way. If, therefore, Clevelandism is the thing; if the party decides to turn back and form for next year's battle on the old lines where victory twice was won, then Mr. Cleveland is of all men the one to carry the standard. He is not only superior to his lieutenants, but his name is associated with success.

So much for a positive leadership. But the harmonizers insist that a positive leadership is not the demand of the hour. Mr. Bryan's nomination would again drive out the Cleveland men. Mr. Cleveland's nomination would drive out the Bryan men. In unity alone may strength and victory be found. Therefore harmony, and a leader expressing harmony. A candidate must be named who, while neither a Pryanite nor a Clevelandite, has always been "regular." There must be that in his record which will attract from both sides.—Washington Star.

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Where is there a single reliably Democratic state that is calling or is likely to call for Mr. Cleveland? Even if it were a second instead of a third term the regular Democrats would prefer almost any other possibility to him. They attribute the misfortunes of their party since 1892 to him, ignoring the great fact that, in his opposition to silver, he was true to his previously declared convictions and policy.

It is a fact that Grover Cleveland possesses the confidence of conservative Republicans to an eminent degree. But that renders him only the more intolerable to the regular Democrats. Should he be nominated at all, it will be by a faction of the Democracy, and his election could be accomplished only by a wholesale exodus of Republicans. Where is one to look for indications of the practical dissolution of the Republican party by a grand rush to Mr. Cleveland as a third-term Democratic candidate? The great qualities of the ex-president are appreciated by conservative citizens of all parties. His place in history as the president who saved his country from the calamity of a debased currency and thus made prosperity possible is secure. But the chances are inconsiderable that he or any other statesman will ever have a third election to the presidency.—Washington Post.

Freedom of the Press.

From the Philadelphia Record.

It has appeared from occasional writings and remarks of Gov. Pennypacker that he is profoundly versed in the history of the struggle of English-speaking people for the establishment of the freedom of the press. With fond affection and pride he has dwelt upon the trial of the printer Bradford by two honest Quaker judges in the colonial annals of Pennsylvania. Going down the stream of political events he has traced the long conflict of Erskine, Camden, Junius, John Horne Tooke and John Wilkes for freedom

STEPS TAKEN TO GET NEW PASTOR

East End Church Calls the Rev. Samuel Moore of New Castle.

SALARY FIXED AT $2,000

Pittsburgh Presbytery Dissolves Relations With Former Pastor Nicholson—Other Matters Disposed Of.

At a meeting of the complete board of trustees of the East End Presbyterian church last evening a unanimous call was extended to the Rev. Samuel Moore of New Castle, Pa., to become pastor of the church. The vacancy was caused by the resignation of the Rev. Alfred Nicholson, who alleges that after working in the East End congregation for the last four years, he has been driven by a faction in the congregation not only to resign, but also from the ministry.

As an extra inducement to bring Mr. Moore here the church has voted to give him an annual salary of $2,000, $200 above what the Rev. Mr. Nicholson had been receiving. The Rev. Mr. Moore was formerly pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Wilkinsburg. He is said to be a strong pulpit orator and an active organizer. He has supplied the East End pulpit several times and the congregation will again have an opportunity to hear him preach on Sunday, May 17, when he will visit the congregation. Mr. Moore will be notified today of his selection.

IMPORTANT PRESBYTERY MEETING.

At the meeting of the Pittsburgh presbytery in the Second church, Penn avenue and Seventh street, several important matters were brought before the meeting yesterday. The presbytery granted the dissolution of the pastoral relations between the Rev. Alfred Nicholson and the East End congregation. Elder T. F. Bailey and three commissioners represented the church session. It was announced that by reason of the Rev. Mr. Nicholson's excellent work for the church it had been decided to give him $500 upon leaving. The Rev. Dr. Thomas Parry, pastor of the First church, Wilkinsburg, was appointed to declare the pulpit of the East End church vacant next Sunday.

The Rev. Dr. U. S. Bartz also announced his resignation as pastor of the Hawthorne Avenue Presbyterian church of Crafton to accept a call to North East, Pa. His resignation was accepted with regret. The request of Licentiate Hugh A. Smith for dismissal to the Washington presbytery was granted.

GERMANS WANT RECOGNITION.

German residents of Oakland and that vicinity applied for recognition in the presbytery as a church. The application was referred.

Plans for important changes in the boundary lines of the Parkersburg, Washington and Pittsburgh presbyteries of the Presbyterian church also came up. The Parkersburg presbytery wants those churches in West Virginia now in the Washington presbytery, and the latter will not give them up unless the Pittsburgh presbytery allows to Washington the churches in the Canonsburg end of Washington county belonging to the Pittsburgh presbytery. A committee to consider the matter was appointed, consisting of the Rev. J. M. Duff, the Rev. Dr. W. L. McEwan, the Rev. G. M. Kerr, the Rev. Ralston Williams and Elder E. B. McNay. The Canonsburg end of the county is said to oppose bitterly the idea of being made a part of Washington presbytery.

On the request of the Rev. Dr. J. P. Calhoun additional members of the committee on summer evangelistic work were appointed. They are the Rev. John M. Gaston, the Rev. R. B. McHatton, the Rev. Charles S. Beatty, the Rev. Herbert Hezlep, the Rev. A. H. Jolly, the Rev. U. S. Greves and Elder Willis Boothe. The various churches will be asked to hold meetings to raise $3,000 needed to defray the expense of this work.

The Rev. Dr. W. L. McEwan presented an overture to the general assembly asking that steps be taken to make the Sunday schools more effective in obtaining attendance. The overture was approved.

RAISED THE SALARY $900.

The presbytery approved an amendment to the call of the Sheradenville church to the Rev. Dr. Herbert Hezlep, raising the salary offered from $1,200 to $1,500.

The next meeting of the presbytery will be held at Mendelssohn, May 19, to ordain and install the pastor-elect, the Rev. M. C. Reighter, at that place. There will be both an afternoon and an evening session. The Rev. Calvin S. Hazlett will preach the sermon at the afternoon session; the Rev. Dr. Fulton charge the pastor and the Rev. Dr. D. R. Breed charge the congregation. The evening session will be held at Clairton and the Rev. Jesse S. Cotton will preach.

A committee to prepare a minute on the death of the Rev. P. S. Jennings was appointed, consisting of the Rev. A. B. Brown and the Rev. C. C. Lamp. A committee of five members was also appointed to attend in the forenoon the funeral of the late J. H. Wallace.

Three candidates for ordination for evangelists were brought up at 11 o'clock. The Rev. Dr. Dunlop Moore delivered the charge. After his questionings each was allowed to preach a sermon of 10 minutes' length. The three candidates were Charles N. Hamilton, Frank Dean Miller and Murray C. Righter.

The trouble between the Woodlawn church session and some of the congregation was referred to a committee composed of the Rev. Dr. S. A. Hunter, the Rev. O. N. Verner and the Rev. W. T. Wilson, who are to investigate the records.

New Church at Wilkinsburg.

Since the committee appointed by the Pittsburgh presbytery to investigate the advisability of establishing a new church in Wilkinsburg has reported in the affirmative, steps will be taken by the officials of the Wilkinsburg Presbyterian church for the organization of a new congregation, to be known as the Second Presbyterian church. The present membership of the Wilkinsburg Presbyterian church is a little over 1,700. It is proposed to reduce this to about 1,000 when the new church is built.

O. U. A. M. IN SESSION.

State Council Receives New Representatives at Meeting in Easton.

EASTON, May 5.—The annual meeting of the state council, O. U. A. M., opened today. Twenty-nine new representatives and ex-councillors were admitted to the state council.

A large portion of the state council's time will be devoted to the consideration of new or revised by-laws. The feature of the revision proposed that is receiving the most consideration is that which refers to a redistricting of the state. There are three districts and the plan is to make four.

SHAW FAMILY PLAN EUROPEAN TOUR

WASHINGTON, May 5.—Secretary Shaw, accompanied by Mrs. Shaw, his two daughters and son, will sail for Europe July 4. The secretary's trip will be very brief, but his family will remain abroad until autumn. Secretary Shaw leaves tonight for Texas to look after some private business matters. He will be gone about a week.

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The Death Roll.

Miss Augusta R. Shaler.

Miss Augusta Rutledge Shaler, daughter of the late Judge Charles Shaler and a member of a pioneer family of Pittsburgh, is dead. Word has reached Pittsburgh that Miss Shaler died a week ago while on a visit to her brother, Col. James R. Shaler, superintendent of the Panama railroad, at Colon, Colombia. Her remains are being brought home by her brother, Col. Shaler, and her sisters, Misses Elenore and Elizabeth, and are expected to arrive in New York today. Miss Shaler went to visit her brother last September in the hope of improving her health. Miss Shaler was born in Pittsburgh 80 years ago, but for many years past had resided in the east. Besides Col. Shaler and his two sisters, Miss Shaler is survived by another brother, Maj. Charles Shaler of the United States army, who is stationed at the Watervliet arsenal, Troy, N. Y. Judge Shaler was a judge of the county courts and an associate judge of the district courts many years ago. Shaler township was named after Judge Shaler in 1847.

Mrs. Catherine W. Easter.

Mrs. Catherine Woodmansee Easter, wife of J. D. Easter, a resident of Evanston, Ill., for 20 years, is dead of pneumonia. Mrs. Easter was born in Belmont county, O., in 1832. She was married at St. Clairsville in 1851 and went with her husband to Chicago in 1851. Nine children survive her. They are Mrs. Harry Lee Smith, New York; Mrs. Newton Lloyd, St. Charles, Ill.; Mrs. Walter Haskin, Milwaukee, Wis.; Mrs. Edward P. Wyman, Evanston; Terril J. Easter, president of the Tristate Coal and Coke Company, and J. D. Easter, Jr., secretary of the same company, of Pittsburgh; Mrs. Walter Brown, Chicago; Frank Easter and Miss Marguerite Easter, Evanston. Mrs. Easter was known to many Pittsburghers, having been a frequent visitor at the homes of her sons in this city. She visited here about six months ago. The local members of the family have gone to Evanston to attend the funeral.

Miss Ida Shaffer.

Word was received in Pittsburgh yesterday morning by Theodore Shaffer, president of the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Workers, of the death of his sister, Miss Ida Shaffer, in a sanitarium in Columbus, O. Miss Shaffer had been ill for some time and about two months ago was taken south in the hope of improving her health. The climate was too severe and her physician advised that she be taken to Columbus, where she arrived two days ago. Miss Shaffer, realizing that she was dying, requested that she be brought to Pittsburgh and taken to her parents' home in the East End, but before her wish could be granted she passed away. She was about 30 years old and is survived by her parents, a sister and three brothers.

Thomas C. Adams.

Thomas C. Adams, 29 years old, financial secretary of the local bartenders' union, No. 188, died yesterday afternoon at his home, No. 305 Robinson street, Allegheny, of pneumonia. He was a native of New York and came to Pittsburgh about three years ago. Since coming here he became a popular labor leader and was widely known. Funeral services will be held over his remains tomorrow morning at St. Peter's Catholic church, Allegheny, and interment, with fraternal honors, will be made at Calvary cemetery.

Mrs. Charlotte Volkert.

Mrs. Charlotte Volkert, 70 years old, widow of Henry Volkert, died yesterday at the family home, No. 43 Buchanan street, Allegheny. She was born in Hanover, Germany, and came to the United States in 1866, settling shortly afterward in Allegheny. She was a prominent member of St. Paul's Weiterhausen church and of Mendelssohn Section Seven, Independent Aid association of Pennsylvania. She is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Amelia Erk, Mrs. Annie Inderbitzen, Mrs. Tillie Kress, and three sons, Edward Volkert, Albert Volkert and Henry Volkert, and 15 grandchildren.

Funeral of John H. Wallace.

Funeral services were held yesterday morning at Samson's chapel in Sixth avenue over the remains of John H. Wallace, who died last week in New York. Services were conducted by the Rev. Dr. D. S. Kennedy of the First Presbyterian church, Allegheny. Dr. Snowden, editor of the Presbyterian Banner, represented Washington and Jefferson college, to which Mr. Wallace had given considerable money, and the Rev. Dr. David R. Breed the Western Theological seminary.

Mrs. Amos Steck.

Mrs. Caroline H. Steck, wife of Amos Steck, a real estate broker of Fourth avenue, died yesterday morning of pneumonia at the family home, No. 4217 Fifth avenue. Mrs. Steck, before her marriage, was a Miss Modiesett, and resided at Uniontown. She was a member of the Protestant Episcopal church and, besides her husband, is survived by a young daughter and two brothers.

Obituary Notes.

F. H. MacKlin, the actor, is dead in London. He once made a tour of the United States with Sir Henry Irving's company.

Dr. John P. Bryson of St. Louis, known professionally throughout the country, died yesterday of heart failure, aged 55.

William H. Baxley, a veteran of Company A, First Ohio Volunteer cavalry, which served throughout the Civil war, is dead at Lisbon, O., aged 68.

Mrs. Sarah Mosier, wife of Henry Mosier, a well-known artist, died in New York yesterday of heart failure, aged 53. Mrs. Mosier was Miss Cohn of Cincinnati.

Mrs. Margaret Boyer, widow of William Boyer of New Brighton, Pa., died yesterday. She was 67 years old and is survived by two sons, Samuel and William A. Boyer, both of Beaver county.

Col. George W. Alexander, senior member of Alexander & Co., fur hat manufacturers, of Reading, and lieutenant colonel of the Forty-seventh Pennsylvania regiment during the civil war, died yesterday, aged 74.

Mrs. Eliza L. Wallace, widow of Moses W. Wallace, is dead at her late home, No. 3031 Perrysville avenue, Allegheny. She is survived by three sons, William C., George A. and Dr. R. M. Wallace, all of the North Side.

Mrs. Edward B. Haskell, a missionary, is dead at Salonica, Turkey. There is nothing to indicate that death was not natural. Mrs. Haskell was a graduate of the Iowa State Normal school and Oberlin university.

Maj. L. J. Straughn died at his home at Lisbon, O., yesterday. He was 66 years old, and in the Civil war served in the Eighty-seventh and One Hundred and Forty-third Ohio regiments. Maj. Straughn was coroner at Lisbon for many years.

He Gave the Police Trouble.

Patrick Ryan, a contractor employed by the Pennsylvania railroad, was arrested on the charge of disorderly conduct by Inspector Robert Gray yesterday. Ryan called up police station No. 6 Monday night and asked for 20 policemen. Inspector Gray, Lieut. J. N. Kerr and 10 policemen responded and arrested several Italians whom Ryan alleged were disorderly. Ryan failed to appear against the prisoners yesterday morning.

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MORE MONEY WANTED BY WESTERN SEMINARY

Needs of Theological Institution Told at Presbyterian Union Banquet.

Two earnest pleas for more money for the Western Theological seminary were made at a banquet given by the Presbyterian union of Pittsburgh and Allegheny last evening at the Hotel Schenley. One was made by the Rev. Dr. William P. Stevenson, an alumnus of the class of 1885, now in charge of a church at Yonkers, N. Y. William R. Thompson of the board of trustees made the second plea. Mr. Stevenson's request for $150,000 was promptly raised to $300,000 by Mr. Thompson.

Last evening's affair was in honor of the faculty, directors, trustees and alumni association of the Western seminary. About 400 persons wered present. The reception lasted from 7 to 8 p. m. The invocation at the opening of the banquet was spoken by the Rev. Dr. M. S. Riddle. President J. B. Finley of the union called the meeting to order after the menu had been discussed and introduced the Rev. Dr. William Fulton as toastmaster.

Dr. Stevenson recalled the historic work of the Western seminary and declared that there is need now for an injection of the hearty support given in the early days of the church. "The seminary must have at once more money," he said. "The sum that will help it greatly is so small that I am almost ashamed to name it in Pittsburgh where such gifts are reckoned with $1,000,000 as the unit. This amount is $150,000. It will enable us to secure for the seminary a president who can devote to its administration his entire time. It will almost make it possible to start the training of workers to work among the foreign element.

Mr. Thompson told of the "physical needs of the seminary." "The present building was erected in 1852 and was not architecturally excellent, even then," he said. "Its present condition is unsanitary and its equipment is poor. We need $500,000. Of this $200,000 should be spent for new buildings and $300,000 devoted to an endowment to carry on the work."

DEATHS.

BOYER—On Tuesday, May 5, 1903, at 4 a. m., MRS. MARGARET BOYER (nee Glenn), in her 67th year.

Funeral from her late residence, No. 621 Eleventh avenue, New Brighton, Pa., on Thursday morning at 11 o'clock.

BRANT—On Sunday, May 3, 1903, at 11 p. m., MRS. MARY BRANT, in her 62d year.

Funeral from her late residence in McCandless township Wednesday morning at 10:30 o'clock. Carriages will leave end of Perrysville avenue car line at 7:15 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

CLAY—On Tuesday morning, May 5, 1903, at his home, Elizabeth township, THORNTON CLAY, aged 71 years.

Funeral services at his late residence, on Thursday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

KNOTTS—On Tuesday, May 5, 1903, at 2:45 p. m., at the home of her parents, Prof. W. C. and Sarah Alice Knotts (nee Gilmore), 4 Reynolds avenue, McKeesport, Pa., RUTH MATILDA KNOTTS.

Funeral services at West End Methodist Episcopal church on Thursday morning at 10 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

MACRUM—On Sunday, May 3, 1903, at 4:20 p. m., at Oakmont, Pa., WILLIAM CHARLES MACRUM, aged 76 years.

Funeral services at his late residence, Fifth and A streets, Wednesday morning on the arrival at Edgewater station of the train leaving Union station, Pittsburgh, at 10 o'clock. Interment private.

SCHANCK—MRS. EMILY D., mother of R. C. Schanck, aged 74 years.

Funeral services at the residence of her son-in-law, E. C. Hough, No. 218 Shetland avenue, on Wednesday evening, at 8 o'clock. Interment private Thursday morning.

STECK—On Tuesday morning, May 5, 1903, at 1 o'clock, at her residence, No. 4217 Fifth avenue, CAROLINE H. MODISETTE, wife of Amos Steck.

Services and interment at Uniontown, Pa., on Thursday morning.

SUMMERVILLE—On Monday, May 4, 1903, at 4:30 a. m., at his parents' residence, 19 Natchez street Mt. Washington, HARRY A., beloved son of Alvin C. and Maggie A. Summerville (nee Drake), aged 11 years 2 months.

Funeral services this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

VOLKERT—On Monday, May 4, 1903, at 12:50 p. m., CHARLOTTE VOLKERT (nee Sildekum), in her 70th year.

Funeral services at St. Paul's Weiterhausen church, corner First and East streets, Allegheny, on Thursday, May 7, at 2:30 p. m. Members of St. Paul's Women society, Ladies Aid society, Mendelssohn Section No. 7, Independent Mutual Aid association of Pennsylvania and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

WOLF—On Tuesday, May 5, 1903, at 10:40 p. m., MARY C., wife of H. C. Wolf, at her late residence, Seneca street, aged 69 years. Time of funeral later.

WHITTY—On Sunday, May 3, 1903, at 9 p. m., HENRY WHITTY, in his 73d year.

Funeral services at his late residence, No. 159 Rodgers, corner Forest avenue, Bellevue, on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

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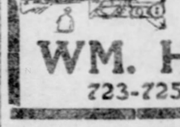

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THURSDAY, May 21, 1903,

At 2:00 o'clock p. m., all the undivided one-fifth interest of said Alonzo Wray, of, in and to all that certain tract or piece of land situate in Jefferson township, Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a post at center of the public road known as the Bridge road, and running by lands of A. Thall et al., south 50 degrees west 30.7 perches to a post; thence by land of Bigerton and others south 36 degrees west 127 perches to a post, thence by lands of the Old Homestead Coal Co., north 50 degrees west 173 perches to a post in the center of said Bridge road; thence by the several courses and distances along the center of said road, viz: North 71 degrees east 16 perches, north 61 degrees east 43 perches, north 55 degrees east 30 perches, north 67 degrees east 28 perches, north 78 degrees east 24 perches, north 77 degrees east 17 perches to the place of beginning; containing 76 acres of land, and being the same tract of land conveyed to Joseph Wray to Joseph Shepard and wife, by deed dated December 15, 1887, recorded in the recorder's office of Allegheny county in Deed Book vol. 226, page 100; excepting therefrom eighty (80) perches conveyed by said Joseph Wray to Thomas S. Richerton by deed dated January 14, 1882, and recorded in the recorder's office of said county in Deed Book vol. 453, page 241; also excepting therefrom one (1) acre conveyed by said Joseph Wray to the school district of Jefferson township by deed dated August 8, 1891, and recorded in the recorder's office of Allegheny county in Deed Book vol. 533, page 206; also excepting therefrom 13 acres 70.6p perches conveyed by said Joseph Wray to Thomas S. Richerton by deed dated May 21, 1885, and recorded in said recorder's office in Deed Book vol. 551, page 210; also excepting therefrom 9.122 acres conveyed by said Joseph Wray to Thomas S. Richerton by deed dated March 2, 1896, recorded in said recorder's office in Deed Book vol. 996, page 300.

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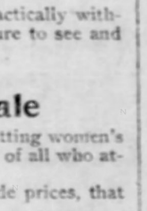

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AN ENJOYABLE VISIT

[SPECIAL CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]
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ROME, May 5.—Emperor William and King Victor Emmanuel, in royal equipages with outriders and postilions, visited the abbey of Monte Cassino this morning and were received by Father Boniface Krug of Beatty, Pa., but now of St. Vincent's archabbey. Father Krug is the first American to hold the position of abbott.

It was the first time an emperor of Germany had been received at the abbey of Monte Cassino. The Rev. Father Krug received the emperor and King Victor Emmanuel in a most cordial manner and expressed his appreciation of the honor conferred on the abbey by the visit of their majesties. Four of the ancient rooms had been prepared for the accommodation of the guests.

The scene was extremely picturesque. Quaint crowds of peasants, friars and sisters gathered from miles around the village to see the extraordinary spectacle of two sovereigns and six princes at Monte Cassino.

When the abbot appeared, surrounded by friars, at the foot of the grand staircase, the contrast in the two groups—the sovereigns and their party and the abbot and the friars—with the background of grim, historic walls, which had resounded on various occasions with battle cries as well as with prayers, presented a most attractive spectacle.

Emperor William went out on the balcony of his room to admire the magnificent scene, showing the snow-capped Apennine mountains and in the distance the blue waters of the Mediterranean.

The emperor also descended into the crypt of St. Benedict and watched the men employed on mosaic work. He examined the colors and said such work would give new life to the ancient art. The emperor also referred to the fact that 34 popes were Benedictines and mentioned Father Krug's last visit to the United States.

Emperor William's day of sightseeing ended with a reception in the Capitoline museum.

BUNDLE IN THE RIVER STARTED WILD RUMOR

Finding of Package Near Point Bridge Gives Rise to Story of Suicide.

The finding of a workingman's blue shirt, in which was wrapped a bundle of papers, many of which bore the name and address of James Howard Sangree, of Broadway, Allegheny, gave rise yesterday to the story that Sangree, an old resident of Allegheny, had either committed suicide or met with foul play.

The package was pulled out of the Monongahela river near the Point bridge yesterday afternoon by Mate Louis A. Shirley, of the steamer Ed. Roberts. It contained two life insurance policies, a bank book, a marriage certificate and a number of other papers bearing the name of James Howard Sangree. Capt. P. W. Boll, of the Roberts, telephoned the Dollar Savings bank and learned that Sangree had drawn his money from the bank but that his bank-book was missing. At the former residence of Sangree in Broadway, Allegheny, it was learned that the man had moved to Ingram in April.

Sangree was found at his new home in McKee street, Ingram, last night by a reporter for The Gazette, to whom he told the following story:

"I lost the package, wrapped up in one of my working shirts, on the night of April 6. I had just taken my wife to the Homeopathic hospital, where she died the following day. While waiting for a car at Market and Liberty streets I went into an Italian's store to buy some tobacco and left the package on the counter. I did not discover my loss until I was almost home, and on returning to the store found that the proprietor had seen nothing of the package.

"When I lost the package it contained, besides the papers found by Mate Shirley, a chisel, a pearl stick pin, a number of letters and several rare coins my wife had preserved during her life. The person who found the package evidently took what was considered valuable and wrapping the remainder of the articles in the shirt, threw them into the river."

FOUND BADLY BEATEN IN A STRANGE HOUSE

Mysterious Case of Joseph O'Donnell at East Pittsburgh Yesterday.

Joseph O'Donnell, aged 45, was found insensible in the bath room of a boarding house in Bessemer terrace, East Pittsburgh, yesterday morning, suffering from several wounds in his throat and face. They appeared to have been made with a knife or some other sharp instrument. A physician was summoned and after he was given medical attention, O'Donnell was removed to the East Pittsburgh police station. O'Donnell became conscious yesterday afternoon and said that he boarded at the home of Mrs. Barbara Full of Baltimore street, Rankin, and that he had been beaten by three men at Braddock, who had a grudge against him.

He said that they had waylaid him about midnight yesterday and after that he knew nothing. He did not know how he reached the boarding house in East Pittsburgh. It was at first thought that O'Donnell was a burglar when he was found and that he had received his wounds while battling with some of the boarders in the house.

The East Pittsburgh police are at a loss to know what to do with him, as there is no hospital department in the building, or room where the sick or injured can be cared for, except in the council chamber, or borough clerk's office.

For Memorial Day.

Plans for the greatest Memorial day demonstration ever held in Allegheny were acted on at a meeting of the Allegheny memorial committee of the Grand Army of the Republic last night. The Rev. W. W. Hall, pastor of the Arch Street Methodist Episcopal church, will not be orator of the day at Uniondale cemetery. A number of companies of the Boys' Brigade will take part in the demonstration.

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News of Nearby Towns and Country

REPUBLICAN DELEGATES ELECTED AT CLEARFIELD

Victory for McQuown Faction in a Spirited Convention Contest.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CLEARFIELD, PA., May 5.—The Republican county convention was held here today for the election of four delegates to the state convention. Two tickets were in the field, one created by ex-District Attorney A. H. Woodward and the other by Senator H. L. McQuown. The contest was full of spirit, 75 delegates being present.

The McQuown people succeeded in electing three delegates and came near defeating Mr. Woodward, the champion of the opposition, lacking but two votes to complete their object. The delegates chosen are: Joseph Bensinger, Du Bois; A. E. Trimble, Morrisdale; B. W. Hess, Houtzdale, and A. H. Woodward, Clearfield.

Resolutions were adopted commending the Republican senators and representatives in the last legislature, and approving of the administration of Gov. Pennypacker.

COAL TO BE MINED IN OLD SOUTH FORK DAM

JOHNSTOWN, PA., May 5.—(Special.)—By a deal concluded today the site of the old South Fork dam is to be made to pay tribute to the march of industrial development and yield up its riches of black diamonds in return for the riches which were swept away 14 years ago by the waters that destroyed Johnstown. The deal increases the holdings of the Stineman Coal and Coke Company and gives it one block of 1,560 acres. The Stineman's are spending $50,000 in machinery, railroad tracks and other improvements at South Fork, with the view of working the tract of which the old reservoir has become a part.

Potters Pass Resolutions.

WHEELING, W. VA., May 5.—Twelve resolutions were introduced in the national convention of potters this afternoon. The most important item was the adoption of a resolution permitting the use of the union label on ware whenever it is handled exclusively by union workmen. The rule heretofore has been that it must be handled by workmen who are paid the union scale.

Coke Combine Papers Recorded.

GREENSBURG, PA., May 5.—(Special.)—A voluminous document involving $200,000,000 was filed for record in this county this morning. The paper is the consolidation of the H. C. Frick Coke Company interests, which embraces the United Coal & Coke Company, the McClure Coke Company, the Continental Coke Company and the Southwest Connellsville Coal and Coke Company.

HIGH IN LABOR CIRCLES.

JOHN H. RICHARDS.

NEW CASTLE, PA., May 5.—(Special.)—John H. Richards of this city will be one of the two men, who with President Theodore Shaffer, will represent the Amalgamated association in the coming great Federation of Labor convention in Canada. Mr. Richards is one of the best known labor leaders in this part of the state. He now holds the presidency of Pride of New Castle lodge of the Amalgamated, composed of the men of the Greer tin plant of this city, and also has the honor of representing in the city councils the Fifth ward, the largest in the city and the one where the greatest number of wage earners reside. Mr. Richards is also prominent in secret society circles and is a Mason, an Elk, a Maccabee and holds membership in several other fraternal orders.

MANY MOURNERS FOR FIREMAN McNALLY

NEW YORK, May 5.—(Special.)—Every member of the New York fire department spoke words of sorrow today when he learned of the death of William McNally, the fireman who, on Sunday, made a daring attempt to save the life of an aged man who was caught in a burning building. The crew of the battleship Iowa, with whom the young fireman served three years, spoke admiringly of him. Family friends with tears in their eyes, said he was as "brave a lad as ever lived."

BIDS AGAIN WANTED FOR NEW COURTHOUSE

Westmoreland Commissioners Agree to Cut Down the Cost Originally Proposed.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

GREENSBURG, PA., May 5.—Westmoreland county's new court house will not be the magnificent temple of Justice as at first proposed. Comptroller John H. Brown, at the request of the county commissioners, again advertised for bids today. The advertisement states that bids will be received according to the drawing and plans of Architect William Kaufmann of Pittsburgh, as amended. Many interior details are to be eliminated. In addition the great dome is to be materially changed, it being proposed to cut down the cost of the structure by several thousand dollars.

Comptroller Brown asks for bids for both light gray granite and Cleveland sandstone.

TOWN THREATENED BY A FOREST FIRE

Hard Work of Citizens Saved Lawrence County Village from Destruction.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW CASTLE, PA., May 5.—A forest fire which broke out on the John Bryan farm in Scott township threatened to totally wipe out the town of Harlinsburg, which was only saved from destruction by citizens after four hours' fight.

The fire swept across the Bryan and John Brown farms and was finally conquered on the John Elder farm, almost at the side of a large natural gas well. The flames swept along a district about a quarter of a mile wide between the New Castle and the Rose Point public roads, and destroyed forest trees, fences and everything in its path.

STATE AND NEIGHBORHOOD.

JOHNSTOWN, PA.—James Szekere of this place was killed by a train in the yards of the Cambria railroad.

NEW CASTLE, PA.—Arthur Williams, 13 years old, who had twice been arrested for robbery, was taken to the Morganza reformatory by Chief of Police Horner.

YOUNGSTOWN, O.—Judge T. J. Gillmer dissolved the injunction against the Mahoning Valley Railroad Company restraining it from constructing its line up Mahoning avenue.

YOUNGSTOWN, O.—The Masonic Building Company elected officers as follows: President, W. L. Buechner; vice president, John Bremner; second vice president, George E. McNab; secretary, R. A. McClain; treasurer, William Cosel.

MT. PLEASANT, PA.—Edward Smith of New York, aged 28, an employe of the Walter L. Main circus, received injuries which resulted in his death. Smith was driving a team of horses when the animals took fright and threw him from his seat.

GREENSBURG, PA.—At a meeting of the Business Men's association it was determined to enforce Sunday closing. Dealers in fruit and cigars have kept open all Sunday here for a number of years. A general crusade is scheduled for next Sunday.

LATROBE, PA.—Andrew Sprock, employed at the Whitney mines of the Hostetter Coal & Coke Company, was arrested by Officer Fry at the instance of Supt. Marshall, charged with breaking open and lighting his lamp in the mine. The report that Sprock was responsible for the recent explosion at Hostetter caused considerable excitement.

NEW CASTLE, PA.—A joint Republican-Democratic-Prohibition debate will will be held here next Tuesday evening at the business college, under the auspices of the Lawrence County Prohibition Alliance. Attorney Walter S. Reynolds will speak for the Republicans, Attorney A. Martin Gebhart for the Democrats and the Rev. Dr. Hayden will represent the prohibitionists.

NO ONE RESPONSIBLE FOR POWDER EXPLOSION

HOLLIDAYSBURG, PA., May 5.—The coroner's jury, which has been investigating the cause of the explosion of dynamite at the plant of the Creason Powder Company, near Williamsburg, whereby 10 persons were killed, has been unable to fix the responsibility for the explosion. The jury says: "The managers of the plant were watchful and careful over its operations and the cause of the explosion is unknown."

Probable Heir to Fortune.

WEST NEWTON, PA., May 5.—(Special.)—Passenger Conductor J. H. Wright of the Pittsburgh, McKeesport & Youghiogheny railroad has received a letter from Arthur D. Marsh, a London merchant and executor of the estate of his partner, J. H. Wright, and uncle of the conductor, asking for proofs of his relationship. The letter states that Mr. Wright died some time ago in Brazil. Conductor Wright was a native of Boston and is the only member of the family surviving in America.

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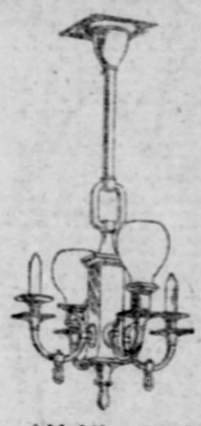

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BIGELOW WILL KEEP UP FIGHT

Director Determined to Push Condemnation Ordinance Through Councils.

HE HAS NO OTHER SITE.

President Frew Says No Buildings Will Be Erected While Condemnation Proceedings Are Pending in Court.

E. M. Bigelow says he is undisturbed by the agitation over the school site ordinances. He says he is unwavering in his preference for condemnation proceedings and that he has frequently acquired property for the city in this way at less than was asked for it and less than the amount at which it was assessed.

A friend of his said yesterday that years ago he had the tract now under discussion, with five acres more, optioned for $82,500, but could not induce councils to make the purchase. Now those who criticise him insist that councils shall pay $450,000 for the tract against his judgment.

Assertions made that condemnation proceedings will delay the technical school are emphatically denied by Mr. Bigelow. He has said that as soon as the ordinance is passed he will file a bond in court and turn the property over to the school trustees. He says they will get possession even sooner than by purchase, as there will be no delay in regard to verification of title and legal conveyance. The city will take possession at once and delay will occur only with regard to the amount of damages the city will have to pay, which does not concern the school trustees.

FREW OPPOSES CONDEMNATION.

If Mr. Bigelow's condemnation ordinance is passed by councils and signed by the mayor the trustees of Carnegie institute will be called upon to decide officially whether they will go ahead and build the school at once or wait until the condemnation proceedings and other legal questions are settled in the courts.

President Frew of the board of trustees of Carnegie institute, declares the trustees will take no step as long as the site is in litigation. Mr. Frew has made this statement through the newspapers and Councilman W. H. Stevenson when he appeared before the chamber of commerce Monday afternoon, quoted Mr. Frew as saying that "not a spade or stake would be put in the ground until the whole matter was settled in court" and the property turned over to the trustees with the title absolutely clear. Mr. Frew has also stated that he is acting in accordance with the wishes of Mr. Carnegie.

If condemnation is started and Mr. Bigelow files a bond to take the property it will be an interesting question to know then what action the trustees will take. If the trustees adhere to their determination not to build the school until an absolutely clear title is obtained, there will be nothing for the city to do but to go ahead with condemnation and fight the matter in the courts and allow the school to wait. It is feared by many persons, including the trustees, that Mr. Carnegie would not consent to another wait of two years or more and might withdraw his offer.

City Solicitor Rodgers, in his opinion to councils Monday night, stated that when condemnation proceedings are started and a bond filed, the city cannot withdraw from the action, but will be compelled to carry it through and pay any increased damages that might be allowed by the court.

HAS NO OTHER SITE.

Director Bigelow stated emphatically yesterday that he has no other site for the technical school in view and that his only plan is to secure the Flinn-Magee property by condemnation proceedings.

The controversy regarding condemnation will lie dormant probably until the next meeting of common council, Monday night, when the condemnation ordinance will come up on second reading. Mr. Bigelow has enough votes to pass the measure on second reading, but not enough to put it on third reading and final passage, for a two-thirds vote is required to advance the bill beyond one reading at a single meeting.

Unless something unexpected happens the ordinance will pass on second reading next Monday night and finally at the following meeting. If a special session is held a week from next Monday the ordinance will be passed finally in common council in two weeks. If no special session is held it will take three weeks to pass the ordinance.

Director Bigelow yesterday made a sharp comment on D. C. Shaw, who introduced resolutions censuring him in the chamber of commerce.

"A passage of scriptures," remarked the director, "says something about an animal that could talk—an animal that was a friend of Balaam. Well, Mr. Shaw never drew up that resolution. He was simply the mouthpiece of somebody else. He belongs to our church and he was simply playing the part of Balaam's ass."

WILL MAKE MORE MUSIC.

Pittsburgh Organ and Piano Company Increased Capital and Will Enlarge Plant.

The Pittsburgh Organ and Piano Company held its annual meeting yesterday, at which the capital stock was increased from $75,000 to $300,000, one-half preferred and the other half common. Two previous issues of stock, amounting to $25,000 and $50,000, respectively, were converted from common to preferred. The directorate was increased from nine to thirteen members. The following officers and directors were elected: W. P. Parkin, president; J. H. Fisher, vice president and financial agent; Thomas B. Windsor, secretary and assistant manager; J. H. Hintermeister, treasurer and general manager; A. E. Windsor, superintendent. The board of directors is composed of the officers and J. L. Ellis, H. C. Grubbs, John Pennell, Hiram Windsor, Jacob Gilbach, W. L. Scott, E. H. Kennerdell and F. C. Sauers.

The business of the company is prosperous, and the object in increasing the capital stock is to make needed improvements to handle increasing trade.

A four-story brick addition will be built to the present factory at Aspinwall, and by September 1 the output will be increased from six to eighteen pianos and organs a week.

NO NEW MEMBERS.

Allegheny Chamber of Commerce Stirred Up Little Enthusiasm.

The recent movement in Allegheny to revive the Allegheny chamber of commerce seems to be meeting with little success. At a secret meeting of the old organization to receive new members no applicants appeared, and no names have been added to the roster. Some addresses were made on the possible entrance of the Wabash into Allegheny. The consensus of opinion is favorable to the Wabash.

The question of annexation with Pittsburgh was discussed. Dr. W. W. Cole spoke in favor of better street car service. President George W. Shaman, who presided at the meeting, stated that another meeting will be called in a short time at which it is hoped to add many new members to the organization.

Ohio Bank Robbed.

OHIO CITY, O., May 5.—A gang of half dozen masked men blew open the safe in the Farmers bank last night and secured a large sum of money and many valuable papers. The robbers bound and gagged a citizen who appeared on the scene while they were at work.

SPOKE AGAINST BIGELOW BILL

Vigorous Attack on Condemnation Ordinance at Ward Meeting.

A SURPRISE BY SLOAN

Prominent Citizens Party Leader Criticised City Officials and Councilmen for Delaying Purchase of Tech Site.

There was discord at the ratification meeting of the Citizens party organization of the Nineteenth ward in the Peabody school house last night, when Attorney J. W. Sloan, a prominent Citizens leader, severely criticised the Citizens members of councils and other city officials for supporting the Bigelow ordinance to acquire the technical school site by condemnation proceedings.

The meeting had been called ostensibly to indorse the action of T. S. Bigelow in rejecting the overtures of Senator M. S. Quay to bring about harmony between the Citizens and Republican factions of Allegheny county. The technical school matter was given equal prominence.

Dr. J. P. Sterrett, common councilman from the Nineteenth ward, made a speech in favor of condemnation. Dr. Sterrett reviewed the history of the efforts to obtain a site for the technical school, stating that Andrew Carnegie first favored the 11-acre site in Forbes street, but it was considered too small, and had later approved the Flinn-Magee site. The speaker asserted that there were not more than 10 of the 32 acres of the Flinn-Magee tract available for the technical school, which was less than the 11-acre site.

SPOKE FOR PURCHASE.

J. W. Sloan made a vigorous speech in favor of the immediate purchase of the Flinn-Magee site. "It is absurd to think of councils considering the proposition to delay the acquisition of the site for the technical school for two or three years by condemnation proceedings," said he.

Select Councilman C. H. West spoke on the subject of the technical school and also in reference to an alliance with the Republican organization. He said he is in favor of obtaining the technical school site in the quickest way possible. He is opposed to any harmony combination with the "old organization."

SEVERAL POLITICAL SPEECHES.

Speeches of a political nature were made by R. R. McClelland and C. S. Cochrane. D. P. Reighard presided and J. H. Coleman acted as secretary. Addresses in Italian were made by Frank Policastro and Joseph Costa. The meeting adjourned after the adoption of the followin resolutions, presented by a committee composed of C. D. Tilbury, C. L. McGuire and George A. Barclay:

Resolved, That we, the Citizens party of the Nineteenth ward in meeting assembled, do most heartily indorse the action of Thomas S. Bigelow and other leaders of the Citizens party of the city of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, in refusing to enter into any arrangement having for its ultimate purpose any recognition of the ring organization. Therefore, be it

Resolved, That in view of the above, we, the citizens and taxpayers of the Nineteenth ward, pledge to Thomas S. Bigelow our energetic and loyal support in the future as we have in the past. Be it

Resolved, That we indorse the administration of W. B. Hays and the county officials of the Citizens party.

STILL A HITCH AS TO SOMERSET CAMP SITE

Gen. Wiley Says the Citizens Must Secure Better Grounds.

Brig. Gen. John A. Wiley of the Second brigade, who has been in Somerset the last two days in the interest of securing a camp site at that place, returned last night. He was accompanied to Pittsburgh by Capt. Richard Coulter, Jr., of Greensburg. Gen. Wiley was emphatic in asserting that Somerset has not as yet been selected as a camp site, but will be if the citizens' committee grants the concessions asked for by the colonels of the brigade. He said:

"The site on which the camp was held in previous years has been ploughed. This renders the ground unfit for a camp. Today we visited the land adjoining the old camp site, which is owned by farmers. We agreed to take the brigade to Somerset providing the citizens secure this property for our use. If it cannot be obtained the camp will be taken to some other place, probably Erie.

"An agreement has been drawn up containing the concessions we demand. Somerset cannot be beaten for a camp site, providing it is not interfered with. I am much disappointed that the site of the old camp has been torn up."

CHARGED WITH EXTORTION.

Burgess of Wilmerding Is Involved in an Interesting Dog Case.

Suit was entered yesterday by Reid Henderson, a resident of Wilmerding, against Burgess R. J. Pounds of that place, before Justice T. H. Kennedy, on a charge of extortion, and a hearing will be held this evening.

Henderson alleged that he attempted to shoot a dog which had been destroying his lawn and that the owner of the dog sued him before Burgess Pounds. At the hearing he was fined $5 and cost, amounting in all to $8 85, which he claims is an overcharge and he accordingly brought suit to recover damages.

HERMES GETS HIS STREET CLOSED

Sixth Ward Select Councilman Wins an Important Victory.

OTHER QUEER DOINGS

South Side Thoroughfares Given Away Against Protests of the Committee Which Considered Matter—Roadway Shut Up.

Peter Hermes, Citizens select councilman of the Sixth ward, scored a victory in the surveys committee last evening by having the ordinance repealing the ordinance vacating Watson street returned to councils with a negative report. This matter has been fought over in councils for several years. Councilman Hermes owns properties on both sides of Watson street facing each other, and he would reap the principal benefit by the closing of the street, as in that case the street will revert to the property owners, and Mr. Hermes can extend his buildings across the street.

The surveys committee adopted the report on the vacation of Edwards alley from South Ninsteenth street to South Twenty-second street, and the vacation of South Twentieth street from Edwards alley to Mary street, although the report was signed by only one of the three members of the sub-committee to which it was referred. Henry Fitzpatrick, a Citizen, presented the report and Jacob Schuck, Citizen, and John P. Baldauf, Republican, the other members of the sub-committee objected, stating that no meeting of the sub-committee had ever been held.

GAVE AWAY VALUABLE GROUND.

Fitzpatrick said a meeting had been held. Baldauf stated that the ordinance gave away between 30,000 and 40,000 feet of valuable ground. Notwithstanding the protests of the majority of the sub-committee Chris Beckert, chairman of the surveys committee, ruled that the report would be received. The vacation ordinances were returned to councils with an affirmative recommendation.

There was a lengthy discussion over the ordinance to repeal the location of West Liberty avenue from Woodville avenue to Grace street, Twenty-third ward. The Wabash railroad made a fill that closed a roadway in existence for 40 years, which was the only outlet for the people living in that vicinity except through a culvert over Saw Mill run which is impassable for foot travel.

CLOSED UP ROADWAY.

The roadway had never been legally opened and an ordinance was put through councils to open it through the Wabash filling. The ordinance repealing this location was passed last night by the surveys committee in spite of the protests of residents of the neighborhood.

There was a lively debate over the ordinance relocating Hamilton avenue, from Lambert street to Penn avenue, the property owners and merchants along Franks-town avenue opposing the ordinance and demanding that the route of Hamilton avenue extension be changed to Franks-town avenue. The matter was referred to a sub-committee.

The initial meeting of the committee on surveys of Allegheny councils was held last night. The resolution for the opening of Chartiers street from the Fifth Wayne road to the Ohio river was referred to the city solicitor. The committee returned to the owners the Walker place plan of lots with instructions to present to councils a proper profile of the proposed streets in the plan.

CARNIVAL OPENS AT NOON

Crowds at the Cathedral Lyceum Caused a Change in the Plans.

Hundreds of sightseers went to the Cathedral lyceum last night and took part in the jollifications of the carnival, which is being given to raise funds for the $10,000 new building to go up in Washington street.

It was Knights of Columbus night and hundreds of the Knights and their wives, mothers and sisters, helped make the carnival a success. So great have been the crowds that it has been decided to open the carnival at noon, beginning today. Business men who have only time for luncheon will find the Chinese restaurant fully prepared to dish the regular Chink delicacies, from bird's nest soup up through all courses, including chop suey and bing-bung-bok. The Chinese cooks are especialy washed and dressed for the occasion.

The baby lion at the carnival zoo got out of his cage last night and in consequence the cages have been reinspected and strengthened. The baby show had its usual large crowd on board.

PROMISE AN EXPOSE

Delegates to Machinists' Convention Declare Employers Have Spies in Meetings.

MILWAUKEE, WIS., May 5.—A sensational expose of alleged spies in the employ of manufacturers, said to be posing as union men in the convention of the International Association of Machinists, will take place in convention, probably tomorrow, according to the statement of a member of the executive committee this afternoon.

"We have the men spotted," he said, "and have absolute proof of their trickery."

CINCINNATI, May 5.—Robert Wuest, secretary of the National Metal Trades association, says if there are spies in Milwaukee representing the Metal Trades Association, he knows nothing of it.

MORE TROUBLE WITH PAYROLL

Three Chemists Employed After Their Positions Had Been Abolished.

LARKIN STOPS PAYMENT

More Men in Director Bigelow's Department Work Without Compensation—Special Legislation Is Necessary.

Controller Larkin yesterday refused to countersign warrants for three chemists on the payroll of the water bureau because the positions had been abolished by the salary revision ordinance, passed recently by councils. The chief chemist gets $125 a month and each of his assistants $75 a month.

Assistant Controller Morrow stated that the duties of the chemists are to test the various cements and asphalts submitted to the city for sale. The controller decided that he would not issue the warrants until a new ordinance authorizing their employment is passed by councils, and that he would not pay them for the services already rendered since the new salary ordinance went into effect except by authority of a special resolution of councils.

The three men were, therefore, cut off the payroll and the salary ordinance will be amended in order to give the director the authority to re-employ them. The revised salary ordinance for the water bureau also omits any provision for a driver of the supply wagon. A driver is said to be a necessity and the same course will be pursued as in the case of the chemists.

The clerk of the Diamond market and the two constables who were cut off by the revised salary ordinance cannot get their pay for the last 15 days of April except by a special resolution of councils. These men were continued in service by the director after their places had been abolished.

It developed yesterday when the payroll for the general office of the department of public works was sent to the controller's office that Frank Torrens was authorized by the director to receive the pay of the chief clerk. The department has been without a clerk since Director McCandless resigned on April 1. Director Bigelow stated that Torrens had been doing the chief's work and is therefore entitled to his pay.

The reduction of the salary of the chief clerk of the department, in an ordinance introduced in councils Monday night, from $2,600 a year to $2,000 was an error, as $2,000 is the salary now paid the chief clerk. Assistant Controller Morrow said yesterday that the ordinance was defective and this provision will be stricken out.

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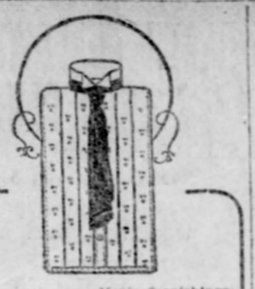

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A genuine hair food. Stops falling of the hair, makes the hair grow, and always restores color. $1. All druggists. J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

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Mrs. Ed. Masure, Midway, Kans.

CHARTIERS VALLEY

The Cecil Improvement Company will offer for sale on

SATURDAY, MAY 9, '03,

Their plot of lots in

EAST CANONSBURG, PA.

Where they have already located a Big Steel Mill, combined with three other manufactories, working about 1,400 men, also a Large Planing Mill, Box Factory and Lumber Yards, with two other large manufacturing plants now being negotiated for. This property fronts on the Chartiers Valley Railroad, with Wabash Railroad surveyed and will be built through the property. This is pronounced by experts and all who have looked at it, to be the FINEST TOWN SITE in Western Pennsylvania. The company has graded the streets, the town has a complete sewer system, with city water, natural gas for light and heat, and electric lights. The Canonsburg & Washington electric railway will run through the principal streets.

The old town has already, in the way of manufacturing plants: The Canonsburg Steel & Iron Works, Fort Pitt Structural Iron Works, Canonsburg China Company, Pittsburgh & Buffalo Mining Company, Simpson Stove Works, Alexander Manufacturing Company, two large planing mills and lumber yards, extensive flour mills; also the best graded schools, an academy and churches of all denominations.

This plot of lots is in the heart of the richest farming district in Western Pennsylvania, also the best Pittsburgh gas coal district and has abundance of natural gas and oil.

EIGHTEEN PASSENGER TRAINS DAILY

to and from the city, five of which make the trip in 40 minutes. There can be no better investment than to build houses for rent. Six-room houses in the old town are renting for from $25 to $30 per month. The demand for houses now is so great that 50 to 75 could be rented now if we had them, and the Steel Mill will guarantee the rent of the first 100 houses built for that purpose. BUY LOTS, BUILD HOUSES AND MAKE MONEY. No other investment compares with real estate; double your money in one year. These lots run in prices from $50, $75, $100, $125, $150, $175, $200 and upwards, one-third of the price they can be bought for in the old town.

DON'T MISS THIS SALE.

NOTICE—These lots will be sold from tabs on a stake on each lot, with block number, lot number and price. The person removing a tab from a lot and returning it to the office will be entitled to that lot. No person will be allowed to hold the tab over half an hour. No tabs shall be removed until the signal is given by a blast from the big mill whistle on the grounds, which will be at 11 a. m. sharp.

A SPECIAL TRAIN will leave Union Station, Pittsburgh, Pa., May 9, 1903, at 9 o'clock a. m. city time, stopping at all stations, arriving at East Canonsburg at 10 o'clock, to accommodate parties wishing to attend the big sale. All lot buyers within 100 miles of Canonsburg will have their railroad fare remitted. Keep your eye on East Canonsburg; don't hold back on account of rain. A good lunch will be served on the grounds. No brass band. For further information, call on or write,

CECIL IMPROVEMENT CO.

KENNEDY & M'PEAKE, General Agents, Canonsburg, Pa.

STREET CAR MEN DO MUCH WORK

Delegates to the Local Convention Combined Business and Pleasure.

BALANCE IN TREASURY

Movement to Form a Rival Organization With Headquarters at St. Louis Was Denounced in a Resolution.

The session yesterday of the eighth convention of the Amalgamated Association of Street Railway Employes, which is being held at the Victoria hotel, was short, but considerable business was transacted.

A resolution was presented stipulating that all resolutions to be presented to the convention be filed with the secretary on or before noon today. It will require the consent of the delegates to permit any being offered after that time. This action was taken so the committee on resolutions could prepare its report without holding back the business of the convention.

The first business was the hearing of reports of the executive committee and the committee on rules and order. Miss Josephine Casey, the only woman delegate, who is a ticket seller on the Chicago elevated roads, was appointed chairman of the committee on rules and order. A little hitch occurred over the time limit each delegate shall be allowed for speaking on any question. It was finally decided to allow each speaker five minutes with the privilege of speaking again at the consent of the convention.

BALANCE IN THE TREASURY.

The auditing committee reported that the receipts during the year had been more than $62,000, while the expenses were slightly more than $47,000, leaving a balance in the treasury. The executive committee was complimented on the manner in which it kept the books. The report of the credentials committee was heard. President W. D. Mahon appointed the following committees:

Resolutions—J. D. Jones, Ironton, O.; J. R. Reardon, Worcester, Mass.; W. F. Welsh, Wheeling; J. C. Colgin, Chicago; O. C. Coates, Belleville, Ill.; C. A. Rose, Lynn, Mass.; M. Linger, Sharon, Pa.; John Collins, Rutland, Vt.; John Sauers, Pittsburgh.

Credentials—John Dooley, Pittsburgh; Charles Aley, Detroit; F. Rose, Chicago; M. Sinclair, Toronto; Benjamin Commons, New Orleans; J. Stewart, Akron, O.; John Dolan, Fall River, Mass.

Finance and auditing—M. J. Fitzgerald, Troy, N. Y.; John Youngs, British Columbia; P. J. Shea, Scranton, Pa.

Constitution and bylaws—Samuel Dannov, New Orleans; Frederick Fay, Ypsilanti, Mich.; Gus Haas, Dayton, O.; George E. Pepper, New York; James Cunningham, Detroit; M. C. Buckley, Chicago; R. Cornelius, San Francisco; W. C. Downing, Chicago; J. W. Larkin, Chicago; James McDonald, Toronto; James L. McGinnis, Rochester, N. Y.; William Kelley, Quincy, Mass.

INCREASE OF PRESIDENT'S SALARY.

A resolution was offered increasing the salary of the president from $1,500 to $2,000 a year, with one month's vacation each year. The resolution was referred to the finance committee. Another resolution was offered by Delegate Morris of St. Louis, denouncing the movement of a few alleged malcontents in starting up a rival organization and approving the efforts of President Mahon and the other international officers in suppressing the movement.

When the convention adjourned the delegates proceeded in a body to the postoffice, where they were photographed. In the afternoon the delegates visited the Westinghouse electric works at East Pittsburgh. Transportation was furnished by the Pittsburgh Railways Company. Four cars left early in the afternoon, returning about 6 o'clock.

Tonight local division No. 85 will take the visiting delegates to the Bijou theater, and on Thursday night a mass meeting will be held in Old City hall.

TWO DANGEROUS MEN PUT OUT OF THE WAY BY WESTMORELAND COURT

Robert Simpson, Safe Blower.

"Farmer" John Conlin. Safe Blower.

When Judge A. D. McConnell, sitting in the criminal court of Westmoreland county, last Monday, sentenced "Farmer" John Conlin and Robert Simpson, each to 10 years imprisonment in the Western penitentiary for blowing and robbing the safe of the Irwin National bank last December, he put two bad men out of mischief-making for some time to come. Both men were well known safe blowers and thieves. They made Allegheny their home for many years and were well known to the officers of both cities. Conlin and Simpson were arrested on January 15, at the instigation of Postoffice Inspector Frank A. O'Brien and Detective Albert Demato, of the Pinkerton agency. They were identified by the telephone girl, whose office was in the bank building. On the night of the robbery they bound and gagged her while they blew the safe. These men were members of the safe blowing outfit that robbed many postoffices in this county last year. Inspector O'Brien was engaged for three months getting the necessary evidence to connect them with the postoffice robberies. Conlin and Simpson proclaimed their innocence. They were refused a new trial.

STRAP HOLDERS ARE INDORSED

Best People Support Organized Movement for Better Traction Service.

DEMAND FOR BUTTONS

Offers of Financial Assistance Are Given the League—Attorney Steuer Will Work With the Chamber of Commerce.

The headquarters of the Strap Holders' league, in the Schmidt building, is about the busiest little office in town just now. Although the buttons which are presented to each person who becomes a member did not reach the city until Friday, over 400 representative people in all the walks of life are today wearing the emblem of an organization through whose efforts, with the aid of the citizens of Pittsburgh, it is expected a radical improvement will be effected in the manner of handling the street car traffic.

The managers of the league have been astounded in the interest shown in the organization, as exemplified in the number who have enrolled themselves during the past three days. It has all been in the nature of a revelation. Bankers, brokers and men prominent in other lines of business have called at the office of the league and expressed their hearty approval of the movement. They have expressed themselves as willing to cooperate in any way, and many have offered to aid in a substantial way the crusade for better street car facilities. Most of the callers has a story to tell and in the story is usually contained the best of reasons for desiring membership.

Charles H. Oliver, a well-known traveling man of Cleveland who was recently in Pittsburgh, related the following: "In company with my wife I boarded a car at Browns station, wishing to come to the city. We reached the car barn at Glenwood about 11 o'clock in the evening and were informed by the conductor that we would have to take the next car. In company with several other passengers we boarded another car and were no sooner seated than the conductor demanded our fares. I expostulated with him but to no avail, and he finally told me that if I did not pay my fare he would throw me off. As my wife was with me I did not care about creating a scene, so I was obliged to submit to the extortion. I have traveled in a great many cities, but it was the first experience of this kind I ever had."

The following are samples of many letters received daily:

Pittsburgh, Pa., May 5, 1903.

The Strap-Hangers' League of Pittsburgh:

Dear Brother—I wish to get in the ranks to rebel against the Pittsburgh Railways Company, and to do so I would like to have one of your buttons for enclosed stamp. C. C. W.
Frick building.

April 29, 1903.

Secretary Strap-Hangers' League, 57 Schmidt Building, City:

Dear Sir—Enclosed find stamps to the amount of 0.10, which please consider subscription for membership in your league. I am a strap-holder on the Allegheny cars.

Down with the traction company! Hurrah for the Strap-Hangers' league! Yours very truly, LILLIAN M. K.
Allegheny.

Attorney Edward E. Steuer, who had charge of the organization of the league, says he is very much pleased with the progress of the work, and has had assurances on all sides of the support of the best citizens. It is his intention to work in harmony with the chamber of commerce, and he has already had the matter up with several members of that body, and they have promised him their assistance.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

DEATH FOLLOWS A BOLD PLUNGE

Fugitive Drowns in Monongahela River While Attempting to Escape.

BODY NOT RECOVERED

Mystery Caused at Port Perry by Unknown Man's Strange Actions—Leaped from the Train Upon Seeing the Officer.

While trying to evade being arrested by a Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad detective yesterday shortly after noon, an unknown young man plunged from an eastbound freight train into the Monongahela river while the train was passing a point a short distance above Port Perry and was drowned. No effort was made during the afternoon or evening to locate and recover the body of the man. By persons who saw him make the plunge he is described as about 25 years old, 5 feet 10 inches tall, well dressed and good looking.

Shortly after the man disappeared from view in the river, Detective Dugan, chief of the Lake Erie railroad detective force, discovered a cigar case on the river bank. The names of J. C. Tannehill and J. C. Coulter, both well-known men of Port Perry, written on the sides of the case.

While the officer and others were endeavoring to learn the identity of the man drowned a reporter for The Gazette located Tannehill and Coulter. Neither man was able to explain how their names came to be written on the case nor could they identify it.

While Detective Dugan was standing on the railroad near Port Perry shortly after noon yesterday an eastbound freight train came along. As it passed him the detective noticed the man riding two cars on the bumpers. The man kept a close watch on the detective to see if he would board the train. This aroused Dugan's suspicion and he started for the train after the car on which the man was riding had passed. When Dugan boarded a car the man climbed to the side of the train facing the river and leaped off over the bank. By the time Dugan got to the top of the car he saw the man had reached the water's edge in a few bounds and had plunged into the water.

When Dugan reached the ground he discovered the fugitive striking out for the bank on the north side of the river. When about 120 feet out the man suddenly stopped and looked up the river. A steamboat with several coal barges in tow was coming down the river and the man turned about and started to swim back to the south bank where the detective was waiting. After swimming a short distance the man suddenly stopped swimming and began struggling in the water and then went down. The detective waited for some time but the man did not come to the surface again.

Dugan said he believes that when the stranger discovered the towboat bearing down upon him he became frightened. While endeavoring to save himself from the boat it is thought he was suddenly seized with cramps as a result of his plunge into the cold water and drowned.

14,000 PERSONS SEE PAWNEE BILL

Hundreds Turned Away from the Big Show in Allegheny.

MANY NOVEL FEATURES.

Filipinos Who Appear As Defenders in Fall of Luzon a Great Attraction—Many Realistic Scenes of Wild West.

Pawnee Bill played the last day of his engagement to tremendous houses in Allegheny yesterday. In his splendid entertainment there are many new features this year, but the one that attracted the most attention by reason of its novelty and uniqueness was the aggregation of Filipinos who were brought to America especially for Pawnee Bill's big show. They take the part of the defenders in the realistic scene of the fall of Luzon, which is one of the best battle pieces that has yet been shown to the public and is the most thrilling part of the varied entertainment. The siege by the American troops, the roar and crackle of the cannon and gatling guns, the storming of Luzon, the fall of the walls, the hauling down of the Filipino flag and the triumphant raising of the stars and stripes forms as absorbing and exciting a fighting scene as has ever been shown to the American people.

The strange and foreign air which the Filipinos give to the show is, however, but a part of the strangeness of the whole aggregation of which Pawnee Bill is the head. It is the most cosmopolitan gathering that has ever been brought under canvas here, not because Japs and Cossacks have not been shown before, but because every race is represented and because the bands from the far distant lands are so new that not more than half a dozen of them can talk the least bit of English. The show is a perfect babel of tongues and orders have to be given through interpreters of which there are one or two for each nationality. There are Filipinos, Japanese, Cossacks, Mexicans, gauchos from Argentina, Brule and Ogalalla Sioux Indians and Australian bushmen.

All of these strange people take part in the program and besides there are detachments of United States soldiers from the various regiments stationed in the west. Among the principal numbers presented is Prince Lucas' troupe of Russian Cossacks in dare-devil riding. Side by side with them are the cowboy broncho busters who, assisted by Mexicans and gauchos, take part in a grand roundup and exhibition of roping in which was strenuous enough to suit the most exacting. Muley Ambark's Arabs give an acrobatic exhibition and display feats of strength which border on the marvelous. Capt. Bennett's pistol shooting and use of the shotgun is a wonderful exhibition of difficult and accurate marksmanship. Keenan's Imperial Japanese troupe of jugglers and balancers show wonderful proficiency and skill and their feats of balancing call for a most highly developed degree of strength and agility, in which performances the children of the troupe do amazing feats.

There is a stage coach attack and attempted robbery by the Indians, followed by a pursuit by cowboys and Mexicans led by Pawnee Bill which is full of dash and excitement. Then there is another feature of wild western life which is absorbing and that is the showing of the old pony express. Another feature is the only white buffalo ever brought east. It is said to be held in great veneration by the Indians. There are a great many particularly bright numbers, chief among which the spectacular entry, the hanging of the horse thief, cowboy sports and pastimes, expert lariat throwing by Rufus Cordova, sharpshooting by the two Tuson sisters, and the almost too realistic torture dance given by Sioux Indians, which is now prohibited by the United States government. The performance concludes with the burning of Trapper Tom's cabin, showing a typical scene of the old wild western days.

Prof. Gregory's Banda Rossa of 40 pieces discourses fine music during the performances.

Faversham in New Play.

At the Alvin theater tomorrow morning seats will be put on sale for the engagement of William Faversham in "Imprudence," which drew crowded houses to the Empire theater for over two months. The uniformly splendid support given him by the all-star cast makes the performances of "Imprudence" delightfully interesting.

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Cleanse the Skin, Scalp and Blood

Of Torturing, Disfiguring Humours with Loss of Hair

WHEN ALL ELSE FAILS

Thousands of the world's best people have found instant relief and speedy cure by the use of Cuticura Resolvent, Ointment and Soap in the most torturing and disfiguring of itching, burning and scaly humours, eczemas, rashes, itchings and inflammations.

Thousands of tired, fretted mothers, of skin-tortured and disfigured babies, of all ages and conditions, have certified to almost miraculous cures by the Cuticura remedies when the best medical skill had failed to relieve, much less cure.

Cuticura Treatment is local and constitutional—complete and perfect, pure, sweet and wholesome. Bathe the affected surfaces with Cuticura Soap and hot water to cleanse the skin of crusts and scales and soften the thickened cuticle, dry without hard rubbing, and apply Cuticura Ointment freely to allay itching, irritation and inflammation, and soothe and heal, and lastly take Cuticura Resolvent to cool and cleanse the blood, and put every function in a state of healthy activity.

More great cures of simple, scrofulous and hereditary humours are daily made by Cuticura remedies than by all other blood and skin remedies combined, a single set being often sufficient to cure the most distressing cases when all else fails.

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CONCERNS IN GOOD SHAPE.

Annual Meetings of the Monongahela and Chartiers Water Companies.

The Monongahela Water Company held its annual meeting of stockholders yesterday afternoon and elected Mark W. Watson president and the following board of managers: B. F. Jones, James W. Scully, John Moorhead, Jr., John R. McGinley, A. W. Mellon, Joseph G. Walter, Daniel McKee and Albert Ernwein.

A report was read showing the company to be in excellent condition. During the year ending April 1 the power plants pumped an average of 16,000,000 gallons of water daily, an increase of 2,000,000 gallons over the amount pumped daily the preceding four years. Forty thousand lineal feet of water mains in sizes from 4 to 20 inches were laid throughout the South Side, West End and surrounding territory. There were 672 new connections made, showing that this section of the city is growing rapidly.

An overworked brain disturbs the digestive functions, and bad digestion brings innumerable ills. Dr. D. Jayne's Tonic Vermifuge sets the brain and digestion right.

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The soap wonderful. Different from others. Worth your trying; you will use no other.

No boiling or scalding the wash. No steam or smell through the house from cooking clothes.

Saves your hands because only cold or lukewarm water is used for any and all kinds of housework.

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The new census edition of Webster's dictionary, in full sheep binding with patent index on edge, size 8½x10½ in., over 1500 pages including 1500 illustrations and an appendix of 10,000 words, also supplement containing new dictionary of biography, synonyms, foreign phrases, etc.—published to sell for $2.15, here today only at 1.15

Fancy ginghams

ALSO neat printed dimities, plain white lawns, white madras, etc.—about 15,000 yds. of these most popular wash fabrics for waists and suits, positively the 10c and 12½c qualities, today, per yd. 6¼c

Dress lining special—5,000 yds. fine silk finished percaline, in black and colors—regular 20c quality, per yd., 12½c

Stock condensations due to rebuilding operations the cause for this deep price cutting on the latest imported summer wash goods

The qualities that have been selling for $1.00, $1.25 and $1.50, now go at, yd. 88c

An extensive importation of fine sheer French cotton, and silk and cotton dress materials, also exclusive styles in St. Gall Swisses.

Impossible in this limited space to go into details regarding this grand display. Suffice it to say that it embraces ALL the latest and most winsome fabrics from the looms of the foremost European textile makers, in all conceivable and inconceivable colors and color blendings and combinations. But the condemning of this dept. leaves us no alternative but to sacrifice profits, and in some cases part of the cost—hence, we give you choice from the entire vast assortment as follows: 88c for choice from all the $1.00, $1.25 and $1.50 qualities—1.19 for choice from all the $1.75, $2.00 and $2.25 qualities.

The qualities that have been selling for $1.75, $2.00 and $2.25, now go at, yd. 1.19

Embroidered Swiss muslins—a most extensive range of new designs in all conceivable colors—imported to sell for 39c—this sale, yd., 25c

Imported Scotch zephyrs—beautifully colored stripes on white grounds—250 pieces of the best quality ever offered for 25c yd., on sale today at, yd., 18c

Imported silk zephyrs—quite a variety of designs and styles, in all the most lovely colorings—138 pieces of the regular 75c quality, now offered at, yd., 59c

Embroidered silk warp mousseline—in the most charming solid colors for street and evening wear—also cream and black—imported to sell for 50c, now at, yd., 29c

Dress goods { 48 pieces all-wool fancy tweed suiting—in the latest color combinations—also 75 pieces all-wool Venetian suiting, and 38 pieces 44-in. sponged and shrunk pure wool cheviot, especially adapted for seashore and mountain wear—goods which have been finding a ready sale at 50c and 65c, offered today for only 39c yd. } Choice per yd. 39c

Some of the underprice silk offers

DISCRIMINATING women will profit by today. The floor space of this dept. will soon have to be curtailed, owing to changes necessitated by rebuilding operations, and we've reduced our prices to quickly reduce our stock.

Black silk specials

Perspiration-proof taffeta—guaranteed spot proof and unaffected by perspiration—we have the exclusive sale for this vicinity, and offer today the 36-in. wide made to sell for $2, at, yd., 1.25

All silk moire—not cotton or wool filled but strictly all pure silk, beautiful lustrous fabrics for coats, waists, skirts, etc.—silk usually sold for $1.25, this sale, yd., 79c

Corded black silk—heavy weight lustrous fabrics, single or cluster cords, very much wanted now for suits and waists—special, per yd., 37½c

Figured gros grain India silks—will not crock nor spit, especially adapted for making unlined dresses or waists—today's price, per yd., 49c

New washable silks

20 and 21-in. habutai silks—excellent weight for dresses and waists, will wash and launder satisfactorily—present selling price 39c, today's price, yd., 21c

Corded silks—for summer shirtwaist suits, dresses and waists, white, pink, green, yellow, blue, etc.—our usual 39c and 45c silks at, yd., 29c

Striped silks—for waists and dresses, white and colored grounds, guaranteed to retain color and luster after washing—were 39c, now, yd., 22½c

All-silk foulards—beautiful dots and figures on black, blue and white grounds, very fashionable for shirtwaist suits and dresses—usual 59c quality at, yd., 35c

The very latest in lovely stocks

THERE'S perhaps nothing that adds greater charm and individuality to the costume than the stock collar. If you exercise discretion in the selection of yours, you'll purchase here where you have ALL the latest conceits to select from.

Among these beautiful stocks are linen ones with hand drawn work executed in various designs, such as wheels, scrolls, spider web effects, etc., having the latest tab fronts—also dainty stamine and scrim stocks trimmed with cute little pearl buttons, new white embroidered ribbon beading stocks, new embroidered chiffon stocks, etc.—all colors, white and black, some in combinations of pink and white, blue and white, etc. And you can choose from all these at

25c & 48c

Reducing curtain prices fully 33⅓% to force big sales

WE will not allow interest to flag in the great curtain sale we started under such favorable conditions last week; many of last week's offers will be repeated, together with various groups of "specials" arranged for today's sale. And these offers come at a most opportune time, for the heavy hangings of the winter season must give way to light, airy curtains that will lend a softened beauty to your rooms without interfering with free ventilation.

Nottingham lace curtains—extra wide and 3½ yards long, also good quality ruffled Swiss curtains with lace insertions or colored borders, now selling for up to $2, choice, pair, 1.25

Cable net lace curtains—in white or ecru, also real Irish pt. curtains with applique borders on fine nets for parlors or dining rooms, now selling for up to $4, at, per pair, 2.50

Real Swiss tambour, Brussels net and Cluny lace curtains, plain centers and all-over embroidered patterns, mounted on splendid quality nets, new and pleasing designs, now selling for up to $6, choice, per pair, 4.35

An elaborate showing of beautiful pt. de Paris, renaissance, tambour net, Brussels and Arabian Dentelles lace curtains, never sold before under $9 and some worth as high as $12, choice, per pair, 6.50

Heavy tapestry and ottoman repp portieres—with double fringe or cord, two-toned effects and combination colors in Ottoman and Armure weaves, Empire and Oriental designs—worth to $3.50, choice, 3.50

Satin damask, mercerized and Oriental tapestry portieres, corded or with tapestry borders—worth up to $8, choice, pair, 5.00

Double faced brocaded velour portieres—also French silk velour portieres in rich color combinations such as crimson and verte, terra cotta and green, etc., superb effects at, per pair, 25.00 and

Imported tapestry couch covers—48 to 60 in. wide, 3 yds. long—in rich Gobelin and Oriental designs, also hand made Bagdad stripes—worth to $5, choice, 3.00

50-in. tapestry—in Oriental stripes and satin derby effects, very effective color combinations—worth to 75c at, per yd., 39c

To quickly reduce our stock of table covers we offer choice of any tapestry or velour cover in stock including all sizes at this sale at 20% discount

Sash curtain materials—including those popular dotted and striped Swisses, white or colored, also tambour muslins and Nottingham laces—worth to 15c, choice, yard, 12½c

Bamboo porch blinds—special prices on the following sizes:

4x6 ft., this sale, 29c
6x8 ft., this sale, 75c
8x8 ft., this sale, 99c
10x8 ft., this sale, 1.25
12x8 ft., this sale, 1.50

Estimates furnished on all kinds of awnings, shades, slip covers, etc.

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Brooklyn	5—Philadelphia	2
Cincinnati	4—St. Louis	1
Boston	Ra'n.	New York

The Pirates Once More Lead in the Race for the Pennant

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS.

Chicago	8—Detroit	1
New York	11—Philadelphia	3
St. Louis	Ra'n.	Cleveland
Boston	Ra'n.	Washington

ANOTHER GAME FROM CHICAGO

The Champions Got a Late Start, but Landed in Front.

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STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Pittsburgh	12	5	.706	Chicago	8	8	.500
New York	9	4	.692	Cincinnati	7	9	.438
Boston	8	7	.533	St. Louis	6	11	.353
Brooklyn	8	7	.533	Philadelphia	5	12	.313

TODAY'S LEAGUE GAMES.

Chicago at Exposition Park.
New York at Brooklyn.

By taking yesterday's game from the Chicago team 8 to 3 the Pirates returned to first place. The locals have been tagging along in second position for just nine days, having dropped from the lead last Sunday week.

Yesterday's game, witnessed by 3,000 persons, was deeply interesting for half a dozen innings, but after that it became a sure thing for the locals and the remaining interest was simply as to the size of the score. For the first four innings it looked very much like a shutout for the Pirates, but in the fifth they began to hit the ball and in a short time removed all doubt as to where the victory would land. This game of see-saw was rather pleasing to the crowd.

The only unpleasant feature was the manner in which the umpires allowed the game to drag along and made no effort to hurry things up, so that spectators could get home in time for a warm supper. It took just two hours to play the game and it should have been played in three hours or three minutes at the longest. The players were allowed to loaf both coming from and going out to the field and this consumed the extra time. It is the duty of the umpire to hurry the players along and make the game as short as possible, that is as to play time. Other umpires do it and there is no reason why Emslie should not do the same.

Bob Wicker, who was, on account of Dovey's staff list season, was the Chicago pitcher yesterday, and for four innings he looked good, as he had not allowed the champions a single hit, but in the fifth they got after him, and repeated the dose in the seventh, four runs being scored in each inning. Sam Leever pitched for the champions, and though hit a bit hard he kept the hits well scattered. The Pirates gave him perfect support.

The Pirates had a row of blanks both in the way of runs and hits until the fifth inning, and then there were some doings. Ritchey led off and reached first on Tinker's fumble of his hot grounder. Smith filed out to Dobbs. Then Leever stirred the crowd by making the champions' first hit of the afternoon. It was a single to right, on which Ritchey reached third. Beaumont followed with a single to center, scoring Ritchey with the first run. Clarke's long three-bagger to left scored Leever and Beaumont. Clarke tried to score on Casey's bounder to Casey, but was out at the plate. Tommy stole second and scored on Wagner's single to right.

There was nothing more until the seventh inning, which Beaumont started with a base on balls and went to third on Clarke's single to right. Clarke stole second and both scored on Wagner's single to left. Hans went to third on a wild throw by Casey, and scored on Kruger's double to middle. "Oom Paul" brought the Pirates' fourth and last run home on Ritchey's single to center. With two out in the eighth Clarke drove the ball into deep right for three bases, but could not score, as Leach made the third out on a foul fly to Chance.

The visitors scored in the first, when Harley opened the game with a single, went to second on a wild pitch, third on Slagle's out at first, and scored on Chance's fly-out to Clarke. Tinker singled in the second, reached second on a passed ball and scored on Kling's single to left. In the eighth Evers led off with a single, went to second on Kling's single, third on Kling's force out at second and scored on Harley's out at first. In the third inning the visitors secured three hits, two singles and a double, but were prevented from scoring by fast work. The score:

Pitt.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Chicago.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Wil'mt, m.	2	1	1	0	0	Harley, r.	1	1	3	0	0
Clarke, l.	1	3	2	1	0	Slagle, l.	0	0	1	0	0
Leach, 3..	1	0	0	5	0	Chance, 1.	0	0	8	0	1
Wagner, r.	1	2	3	0	0	Dobbs, m.	0	0	3	0	0
Brans'd,	1	0	0	1	1	Tinker, s..	1	2	1	6	0
Kruger, s.	1	1	4	0	0	Casey, 2..	0	0	2	4	0
Ritchey, 2.	2	2	3	3	0	Evers, 2..	1	2	0	4	1
Smith, c.	0	0	6	1	0	Kling, c..	0	0	3	5	0
Leever, p.	1	1	0	2	0	Wicker, p.	0	0	1	0	0
Totals .	8	10	27	17	0	Totals ..	3	11	24	8	3

Pittsburgh	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	4	0	*—8
Chicago	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	—3

Two-base hits—Kruger, Evers, Wicker. Three-base hits—Clarke 2. Sacrifice hit—Casey. Stolen bases—Clarke, Leach, Wagner, Ritchey, Kling. Double play—Ritchey, Bransfield and Kruger. First base on balls—Off Leever 1 (Slagle), off Wicker 4 (Beaumont, Wagner 2, Leever). Struck out—By Leever 4 (Harley, Tinker, Kling, Wicker); by Wicker 3 (Leach, Smith, Leever). Passed ball—Smith. Wild pitch—Leever. Time—2:00. Umpires—Emslie and Holliday.

NOTES OF THE GAME.

In the second inning there was a mix-up in the balls, a new one and an old ball being thrown out at the same time. Leever wanted to use the old ball and tossed the new one back to the umpire, but Emslie was up to Sammy's dodge and made him use the new ball.

Wagner's catch of Slagle's low line fly in the third inning brought a round of cheers from the spectators. The ball went on a line to right field and when it reached Hans it was not over three inches from the ground. Hans made a clever stab and captured the sphere. It was the feature play of the game.

Hans Wagner gave a fine exhibition of base running in the seventh inning. He went all the way from first to third while Casey was fumbling Bransfield's out at first and Chance's throw to head him off at third being wild. Wagner trotted home with his run. The crowd cheered the daring display.

Sam Leever is suffering from a lame ankle and in the third inning, after reaching first on balls, secured Captain Lowe's consent to have Megrit run for him. In the fifth Leever cracked out the Pirates' first single and it made the Chicago captain so angry that he refused to allow a runner and Leever was forced to limp about the bases himself.

The betting crowd got a bump on Saturday last from one of their own number which they will not forget in a hurry. The party in question gathered in about $1,500 by means of being stakeholder and having had checks cashed to pay off losses on the game, and has not been seen since. Shad Gwilliam was a victim to the extent of $900, and there were many others.

Pitcher Jock Menefee of the Chicago team, who lives at Monessen, had his young son with him on the players' bench yesterday and before the game amused the spectators by giving the little fellow a few lessons in the ball playing line. The youngster seems to follow in the footsteps of his father and takes to pitching. His efforts yesterday toward curve pitching caused quite a laugh among the grandstand occupants.

In the third inning the Chicago team made three hits, two singles and a double, yet failed to score, owing to bad coaching by Chicago men and fast fielding by the Pirates. After the inning was over Captain Lowe blamed Menefee, who was in the coacher's box, but Jock refused to stand for it and there was a lively war of words. Both Casey and Evers were caught between third and home and put out.

In the second inning, when Wagner was on first by reason of a base on balls, the next batter, Bradley, sent up a high foul fly which Casey chased over to the left field bleachers and secured. Wagner made a bluff to go to second on the play but Chance got in his way and held him. Hans wanted Honus day, who was doing the work on the bases, to allow him a base for interference, but the umpire refused to see things that way.

Claude Ritchey was at the business end of a clever double play in the sixth inning. Tinker had reached first on a single to left and Casey drove a hard grounder at Ritchey, which he gathered in neatly. Tinker had started for second, but seeing Ritchey with the ball, halted and backed toward first. Claude ran a few steps and shot the ball to Bransfield in time to head off Casey. Bransfield then sent the ball to Kruger and Tinker was out, thus completing a fast and neat double play.

Beaumont was guilty of a bit of stupid base running in the seventh inning and got a severe call down for it from Manager Clarke. Beaumont was on third and Clarke on second, and the middle fielder was showing his sprinting ability by playing away off the base. Leach, who was at bat, sent a long fly to right, which Harley caught nicely. Had Beaumont been on the base he could easily have scored on the out, but he was not, and was forced to cling to third, as Harley made a quick return of the ball. However, no harm was done, as Wagner's single scored both Beaumont and Clarke.

WON IN THE TENTH.

Brashear's Fumble Proved Very Costly to the Quakers.

PHILADELPHIA, May 5.—Brooklyn tied the score in the ninth inning today through Brashear's fumble of Flood's hit. Four singles and a base on balls in the tenth netted the visitors three runs and the game. Attendance 1,975. Score:

Brooklyn.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Philadel.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Strang, m	0	1	3	0	0	Thomas, m	1	1	3	1	1
M'C'dle, r	0	1	1	0	0	Barry, l..	1	1	3	0	0
Sheck'd,	1	1	1	1	0	Wolv'n,	3	0	0	2	0
Doyle, l..	2	3	10	0	0	Keister, r.	0	3	0	0	0
Dahlen, s.	2	1	4	4	0	Fraser, r.	2	0	0	0	0
Ritter, c.	1	0	7	2	0	Douglas,	1	0	2	1	0
Flood, 2..	0	1	2	1	0	Huls'itt, s.	0	1	4	4	0
Jordan, 3.	0	1	2	2	0	Zimmer, c	0	1	8	2	0
Jones, p..	0	0	0	2	0	Sparks, p.	0	0	1	1	0
Evans, p..	0	0	0	0	0						
Ahearn*	0	0	0	0	0						
Totals	5	8	30	11	1	Totals ..	8	8	30	17	3

*Batted for Jones in ninth inning.

Brooklyn	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	3—5
Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1—3

Two-base hits—Doyle. Sacrifice hit, Barry. Stolen bases—Doyle, Dahlen, Barry. Double play—Dahlen and Doyle. Left on bases—Brooklyn 9, Philadelphia 8. First base on balls—Off Evans 1, off Sparks 2. Struck out—By Jones 3, by Evans 1, by Sparks 2. Time 2:15. Umpire—O'Day.

HAHN IS IN FORM.

The Reds Made it Four Straight Games from the Cardinals.

CINCINNATI, May 5.—Cincinnati made it four straight from St. Louis by winning today. Hahn was in fine form and allowed but five scattering hits. St. Louis managed to score in the ninth on an error by Magoon. Donlin made a sensational catch of Beckley's line fly in right field. Seymour's bunting was also a feature. Attendance, 4,000. Score:

Cincin.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	St. Louis	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Kelly, l..	1	0	0	3	0	0	Furrell., m	0	0	3	0	0
Seym'r, m	1	3	4	0	0	0	Burke, r.	0	0	1	0	0
Donlin, r.	1	2	4	0	0	0	Brain, 3..	1	2	1	1	1
Beckley,	1	0	1	8	1	0	Barclay, l.	1	0	1	1	0
Corcor'n,	2	2	1	1	0	0	Donovan,	0	0	1	0	0
Corco'n, s	1	1	0	3	0	0	Nord'k'p,	0	1	0	3	0
Magoon,	3	0	1	2	1	1	Hackett,	0	0	1	1	3
Bergen, c.	0	0	5	1	0	0	Will'ms,	0	0	0	4	3
Hahn, p..	0	0	0	1	1	0	Ryan, c..	0	0	1	3	0
Totals .	4	9	27	9	1	Totals ..	1	5	24	15	2

Cincinnati	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	*—4	
St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	—1	

Two-base hits—Magoon, Brain, Donovan, Hackett. First base on balls—By Hahn 2, by Hackett 2. Struck out—By Hahn 2. Time—1:45. Umpire—Johnstone.

CUTTING DOWN REDS

Three Pitchers Will Be Turned Over to Other Clubs—Six Regulars on Staff.

CINCINNATI, May 5.—(Special.)—Now that Ewing and Sutthoff have shown beyond doubt their ability to pitch National league ball, the local club will cut down the staff of twirlers to a reasonable size. The staff for the season of 1903 will consist of Hahn, Harper, Poole, Phillips, Sutthoff and Ewing. Wiggs will go to San Francisco, Hooker will join the Concord club of the New England league, and Allemang will join one of the many teams in the south which have asked for him.

These men will not be farmed, but will be let go outright, if it is possible, however, that the Reds will have first chance to re-engage them in event they are needed. Bob Ewing will not only be a member of the pitching staff, but will likely be used as utility outfielder, as Manager Kelley considers him a first-class all-around baseball player.

ANNUAL SPRING MEET.

Westminster College Athletes Do Fairly Well on Trials.

NEW WILMINGTON, PA., May 5.—(Special.)—The annual Westminster spring field and track meet, preliminary to the dual meet with Geneva, was held here this afternoon. Summaries:

100 yard novice—Won by F. S. Thompson; S. E. Calhoun, second; C. R. Davison, third. Time, :11 1-5.

One mile run—Won by W. Scott; C. W. Knox, second; McLean, third. Time, 5:03 1-5.

Half mile run—Won by Lambie; Crooks, second; Adams, third. Time, 2:06¾.

220 yard dash, open—Won by Lambie; Stewart, second; Davison, third. Time, :24 2-5.

440 yard dash—Won by Stewart; Thompson, second; Davison, third. Time, :58 3-5.

Sixteen pound shot put—Won by Lambie; Tennent, second; Lang, third. Distance, 32 feet, 8 inches.

Sixteen pound hammer throw—Won by Morrow; Lambie, second; Long, third. Distance, 67 feet, 11 inches.

Discus throw—Won by Moore; Lambie, second; Morrow, third. Distance, 92 feet 9 inches.

Running high jump—Won by Witherspoon; Lambie, second; Reno, third. Height, 5 feet 6 inches.

Running broad jump—Won by Moore; Lambie, second; Stewart, third. Distance, 18 feet 8 inches.

Pole vault—Won by Lambie; Deevers, second; Yourd, third. Height, 8 feet 4 inches.

AMONG THE AMATEURS.

The Tremont A. C. will open its season Sunday with the Buchanan A. C.

The Oakmont A. C. will play the Orion A. C. Saturday on the latter's grounds, Greenfield.

The Iron City Juniors would like to hear from all 13 or 14-year-old teams. Address, B. Walters, 3218 Liberty avenue.

The Anchor A. C. of Brushton desires games with teams having grounds. Address, H. Mayberry, 7627 Bennett street, Brushton.

The National Transit Company team wants games with first-class amateur teams. Address, J. E. Cairns, 823 Fourth avenue.

The Hopkins Juniors have organized and would like to hear from all 8 and 9-year-old teams. Address, Dallas Simons, Hoboken, Pa.

The Winter A. C. plays the Sterlings of Carnegie next Saturday and all players are requested to report for practice every evening this week.

The Lincoln A. C. of Lawrenceville would like to arrange a game for Saturday with any strong amateur team. Address, Percy Campbell, No. 115 McCandless avenue, Pittsburgh.

The Excelsiors are after two games for Decoration Day and July 4 with some good out-of-town teams. Address manager Excelsior baseball team, No. 2605 Broad street, East End.

The Imperials have elected Roy Herrington to manage the team, vice Fred Booth, resigned. The Imperials want games with 14 to 15 year old teams. Address Roy Herrington, No. 228 Third avenue.

The Hilldales would like to hear from some good out-of-town team for Decoration Day. All Hilldale players will report at W. U. P. grounds this evening for practice. Address E. J. Drane, No. 56 Lombard street, Allegheny.

The Windsors got their dates mixed for the coming Saturday and, cancelled on Braddock and as a result the Braddock team is without a game. It would like to hear from any strong team for that date. Address, Manager, Braddock baseball team, Braddock.

The Park Views of Sharpsburg are without a game for Saturday and would like to arrange a game with a good 13 or 14-year-old team with uniforms. game to be played at Sharpsburg. Address William Wilson, 1841 Middle street, Sharpsburg, or call 363 Grant on the Bell 'phone or 141 Main on P. & A.

COMISKEY'S TEAM INCREASES LEAD

Patterson's Pitching Too Much for the Detroit Batters.

BUNCHED HITS TOLD

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	8	3	.727	Washington	5	5	.455
New York	7	5	.583	Boston	5	6	.455
Detroit	6	5	.545	St. Louis	4	5	.444
Philadelphia	7	7	.500	Cleveland	2	7	.222

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, May 5.—Patterson was in rare form, and with perfect support easily won today's game. He could have easily shut out the vistors but for Hallman's fall on Elberfield's hit, which counted for three bases and resulted in Detroit's only run. The locals bunched hits with bases on balls and errors. Hallman's fielding was the feature of the game. Attendance, 2,850. Score:

Chicago.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Detroit.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Dolan, l..	1	1	2	11	1	0	Barrett, m	0	1	3	1	0
Jones, m.	1	2	1	0	0	Elberf'd, s	1	1	3	2	1
Green, r.	1	2	0	0	0	Crawford,	1	0	1	4	0
Hallman,	1	1	0	7	0	0	Carr, l..	0	0	1	0	0
Isbell, s..	2	2	1	1	0	Gessler, r.	0	0	1	0	0
Daly, 2..	1	1	1	1	0	Smith, 2..	0	1	2	1	1
Tannehill, s	0	2	2	2	0	Yeager, s.	0	0	3	3	1
M'Far'd, c	0	1	5	1	0	M'Alter, c	0	1	1	2	0
Pat'son, p	0	1	1	4	0	King'er, p	0	1	0	0	0
Totals .	8	13	27	19	0	Totals ..	1	7	24	9	3

Chicago	2	1	0	0	3	0	2	0	*—8	
Detroit	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	—1	

Left on bases—Chicago 7, Detroit 3. Two-base hits—McFarlane, Isbell, Jones, Tannehill, Three-base hits—Isbell, Elberfeld. Sacrifice hits—Dolan, Hallman, Daly. Double plays—Patterson, Tannehill, Dolan; Tannehill, Daly; Dolan; Patterson, Isbell, McFarland, Tannehill, Jones. First base on balls—Off Patterson 2, by Kissinger 1. Bases on balls—Off Kissinger 3. Time—1:35. Umpire—Sheridan.

MADE MANY ERRORS.

Mack's Team Played Poorly—A Triple Play by the New York Team.

NEW YORK, May 5.—Wretched fielding on the part of the Philadelphia Athletics caused their downfall at American League park today. New York winning by the score of 11 to 3. Eight errors were charged against the visitors, and Dougherty and Powell were responsible for two of them. A clever triple play, with three men on bases, executed in the eighth inning by Ganzel and Long, ended the game. Attendance, 1,000. Score:

N. York.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Philadel.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
A Davis, l	1	1	1	0	0	0	Hartsel, l.	1	1	4	1	0	0
Keeler, r.	2	2	1	1	0	0	Pick'ng, m	0	0	1	1	0	0
Bolton, m.	2	2	2	0	0	0	H. Davis,	1	2	3	1	0	1
Will'ms,	2	2	2	1	7	0	Cross, s.	1	2	1	2	1	0
Ganzel, l.	2	2	1	6	1	0	Seybold, r.	0	2	1	0	0	0
Conroy, 3.	1	2	1	2	1	0	Murphy, 2.	0	0	1	4	0	0
Long, s..	2	2	2	2	0	0	M. Cross,	0	0	4	6	3	0
M'Conn, c.	0	1	2	4	0	0	Dougherty	0	0	1	2	2	0
Veville, c.	0	0	2	2	0	0	Henley, p.	0	0	0	2	0	0
Tan'hill, p.	0	0	0	1	2	0	Hoffman*	0	1	0	0	0	0
Wiltz, p..	0	0	0	2	0	0							
Totals .	11	10	27	16	11	0	Totals ..	3	10	24	16	8	1

*Batted for Henley in the ninth inning.

New York	0	3	5	1	0	0	0	2	*—11	
Philadelphia	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0—3	

Two-base hits—Hartman, H. Davis, Seybold. Three-base hits—Hartsel, H. Davis, Seybold, Stolen bases—Keeler, Bolton 2, Ganzel. Conroy. Double plays—M. Cross and H. Davis; M. Cross, Murphy and H. Davis. Triple play—Ganzel and Long. First base on balls—Off Henley 1, off Tannehill 1, off Wiltz 1. First base on errors—New York 6. Struck out—By Tannehill 1, by Wiltse 1. Left on bases—Philadelphia 8, New York 8. Time—1:45. Umpire—Connolly.

BROKE TRACK RECORD.

Gregor K. Shows He Is in Form for the Derby.

CHICAGO, May 5.—Gregor K., an American Derby candidate not thought able to go a distance, broke the track record for the mile and 70 yards in the fourth event at Worth today, winning the race in rather easy fashion from the best field of aged horses he has ever met. The new record was set at 1:44 3-5, against the old mark of 1:45 1-5 made by a desperate finish in the third race between Beau Ormonde and Favonius. After the hardest kind of a drive through the stretch, both horses rushed like a team. Beau Ormonde managed to get his nose far enough in front at the wire to secure the verdict. Weather warm; track fast. Summaries:

First race, 6 furlongs—Marlin, 88, Robbins, 7 to 1, won; Full Back, 90, H. Phillips, 12 to 1, second; Harry Beck, 105, Henry, 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:14 3-5. Sue Mac, Anna, Cache, Dr. Moody, Prince of Melrose, Manzano, Arigato, Dr. Guernsey, Mr. Bender and I. Samuelson also ran.

Second race, 4 furlongs—Lady Free Knight, 111, Dominick, 7 to 5, won; Miss Fleischmann, 103, C. Kelly, 7 to 1, second; Belle Juan, 100, Farrell, 30 to 1, third. Time, :48. Badger Girl, Bernice, Pocasset, Hindlimb, Direful, Lucretia M. and Native Daughter also ran.

Third race, 6½ furlongs—Bean Ormonde, 109, Henry, 9 to 10, won; Favonius, 114, Dominick, 13 to 5, second; Soothsayer, 90, J. Walsh, 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:20. Prince of Africa and Vulcan also ran.

Fourth race, 1 mile and 70 yards—Gregor K., 98, P. Phillips, 12 to 1, won; Nitrate, 112, Henry, 6 to 5, second; Bondage, 98, H. Phillips, 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:44 3-5. Major Tenney and Albula also ran.

Fifth race, 6 furlongs—Silver Fizz, 98, Estill, 20 to 1, won; Miss Hume, 105, Henry, 8 to 5, second; Our Bessie, 93, Ferrell, 3½ to 1, third. Time, 1:13 3-5. Harvester, Marco, James J. Corbett, Playlike and Joe Martin also ran.

Sixth race, 1¼ mile—Bonnie Lassie, 102, Birkenruth, 5 to 2, won; Omdurman, 110, Dominick, 5 to 2, second; John A. Clarke, 101, H. Phillips, 4½ to 1, third. Time, 1:57 1-5. Jack Doyle, Alma Girl, Glinspray and Malay also ran.

The weights and entries for tomorrow:

First race, 5 furlongs—Prodigal Son, 112; Alfio, 108; Miss Manners, 107; Uranium, Feby Blue, 105 each; Will Sherry, John J. Regan, 101 each; Safeguard, 99; Full Back, 97; San Sergeasa, 94.

Second race, 7 furlongs, selling—Meshanus, Tayon, 110 each; Herodiads, 106; Ohagen, Scotch Plaid, 103 each, Jaubert, 104; Optional, 97.

Third race, 4½ furlongs, two-year-olds—Manshak, 117, Benefloent, 113; Millrick, 108; Katie Powers, 105; Elias, Soldier of Fortune, 103 each; Lady of Melbourne, Mandy Lee, Dick Ripley, 100 each.

Fourth race, 1 mile and 20 yards—Rolling Boer, 114; Pothen, 103; Ahola, 93; Dan McKenna, Canyon, 90 each.

Fifth race, 1 mile, selling—Baird, 107; Branch, 106; Harry Beck, Prairie Dog, Limelight, 104 each; Balloon, 102; Jamb, Thompson, 101; Prince Webb, Gracious, 99 each; Moran, 86.

Sixth race, 1 mile, selling—Urchin, 109; About, Zonne, Pyrrho, 107 each; Marcus, 104; Goldaga, 103; Moront, 102; Memphian, 98; Our Bessie, 95; Mi'Reina, 88.

SULLIVAN IS EAGER TO REDEEM HIMSELF

Charley Haughton, manager of the West End club of St. Louis, wired James Mason yesterday that he wanted Jack McClelland to go there for May 14 to meet Brooklyn Tommy Sullivan for 20 rounds at 128 pounds, ringside. This would mean about $24 pounds at 3 p. m. Mason agreed to have the Pittsburgher do 120 at ringside and is awaiting an answer. Sullivan beat Clarence Forbes about a week ago and is anxious to wipe out the defeat he received at McClelland's hands, when the latter knocked him out in 15 rounds some time ago.

Westminster at W. & J. Today.

WASHINGTON, PA., May 5.—(Special.)—The Washington and Jefferson nine will meet Westminster here tomorrow afternoon. A mass meeting of the college students will be held tomorrow at noon and a parade and demonstration will precede the contest. Eriser, W. and J.'s third baseman, will not be in the game, having been called to his home at New Castle by the death of his mother on Sunday. Ridgley will pitch for W. and J. and Campbell for Westminster.

BEATEN BY COLUMBIA.

Old Cup Defender Proves Faster Yacht Than Reliance.

GLENCOVE, L. I., May 5.—It required just 20 minutes today for the peerless cup defender, Columbia, to demonstrate that in a light wind and boating to windward she is a better boat than the new Herreshoff cup yacht Reliance.

Starting from a position to leeward and slightly astern of Reliance, Columbia sailed through the new boat's lee, tacked across her bow and in the next leg of a mile and a half increased her lead to nearly a quarter of a mile. Reliance then withdrew. When the Columbia went through her lee the Reliance kept off and voluntarily gave up the advantage of her windward position, but she was none the less decisively and emphatically outsailed. This was the first brush between the rivals.

Played Twilight Game.

Swissvale A. C. had the Braddock High school team as opponents in a twilight game last night and were 9 runs ahead when the game was called at the end of the fourth inning. Score:

Swissvale A. C.	2	11	0	*—13						
Braddock H. S.	0	2	2	0—	4					

Batteries—Gumbert and Dillon; A. Mills, R. Mills, Crammer and Gibney.

Braddock Team's Victory.

MERCER, PA., May 5.—(Special.)—The Mercer academy team was defeated today by the Braddock A. C. team in a 12-inning game, 13 to 14.

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WESTMINSTER'S SOPHOMORE TEAM.

Photo by Owens.

This group of girls forms one of the strongest of the girls' basketball teams at Westminster college. They are dressed in their bloomer costume, in which they regularly appear on the gymnasium floor, but their modesty prevented the camera showing the costume in full.

MILLVALE TEAM WON LEAGUE TROPHY SHOOT

Many Shooters Faced Traps at Irwin—Fleming of North Side Was High Gun.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

IRWIN, PA., May 5.—Fifty-four shooters faced the traps today in the Western Pennsylvania Trap Shooters' league tournament, the largest number that has yet attended any event in the league. Interest centered in the team shoot representing the clubs that entered for the trophy. Pittsburgh was represented by the North Side and Millvale teams, and Irwin, Brownsville, Ruffsdale and Ligonier were each represented. The trophy was at stake, 25 targets for each man, 200 for a team. Millvale, represented by Hickey, Best, Lutz and Ray, won with 175 hi. Irwin was second, with 158; Ligonier third, with 153; Ruffsdale fourth, with 152; North Side fifth, with 147, and Brownsville sixth, with 140. The tournament will end tomorrow with 10 events, five each at 20 targets and five at 15 targets. Individual scores made today are appended. Fleming was high for the day, he being tie with Squier up to the last event.

	Number of Targets.									
	15	20	15	20	15	20	15	20	15	20
Prego	8	11	14	17	13	20	12	14	10	16
Brown	12	15	11	17	12	15	9	12	11	12
Squier	13	18	12	18	14	19	15	18	12	17
Fleming	13	19	14	19	14	20	13	19	13	20
Cochran	14	16	13	15	10	11	12			
Deniker	11	19	13	16	14	18	13	15	13	
Tony	12	15	14	15	11	15	7	11		
Hickey	14	20	14	19	13	19	14	19	14	19
Wampler	11	15	12	18	13	12	9	15	10	
Frederick	10	13	10	14	14					
Hickey	13	20	11	19	15	18	12	13	12	
Lutz	15	14	14	18	13	17	10	20	14	
Ray	10	15	7	14	12	20	13	15	12	
Luts	15	14	14	18	13	17	10	20	14	
Irwin	14	14	12	15	11	11	10			
Pontcraft	13	19	13	17	13	19	15	18	14	
Waddell	7	12	11	13	12	16	11			
Nisley	13	18	15	16	13	17	13	18	12	
Jones	8	16	11	12	12	16	8	18	12	
Loyd	10	16	14	16	12	18	14	14	10	
R. G. K.	11	14	11	15	9	16	11			
J. M. Smith	12	10	12	17	11	13	9			
Denny	6	11	8	6	7	14	8			
Hazelwood	12	15	11	16	12	17	10	14		
Fyle	11	18	9	17	10					
Stevens							7			
Dr. Smith							9			
Myers	12	13	11	9	10	16	12	13		
Howard	10	14	11	14	10	14	10	15	8	
Holly	8	16	11	7	14	12	8	15		
Hackett	11	12	9	12	15	14	12	14	9	
West	12	15	9	11	13	14	10	14	9	
Kelso	11	15	12	16	11	15	13	15		
Withrow	12	17	12	16	10	15	12	18	10	
Schulte	5	12	9	15	12

NEWS OF THE HOME AND THE SOCIETY WORLD

SOCIETY WOMEN'S CLUBS WOMEN'S CORNER

THE annual Episcopal Church Home fair will be held on Thursday, May 14. It will be one of the most elaborate entertainments yet given at the home, Penn avenue and Fortieth street, Lawrenceville. Preparations are being made for a charming out-door fete, and the grounds will be utilized during afternoon and evening. Booths will be erected and shelter tents will be set up for the use of the patrons of the fete, while within the home several rooms will be prettily decorated, where various features of the extensive program will be presentd. Throughout th afternoon there will be special amusements for the children, and in the evening the principal features will be a new arrangement of Mrs. Jarley's wax works, conducted by Mrs. George A. Gormly. The boys brigade of the Church of the Ascension will drill under the direction of Col. H. P. Bope.

The regular monthly meeting of the officers and members of the board of managers of the church home, was held yesterday morning to complete arrangements for the annual fair. Should the weather be propitious everything will be carried out on the grounds, but ample provision will be made for an interior entertainment in case of rain. In addition to the supper, there will be a tea room and booths for the sale of fancy work, candy, lemonade and ice cream.

The various parishes actively working for the fair include Trinity and St. Andrew's, Pittsburgh; the Church of the Ascension, Shadyside; St. Peter's, Oakland; St. John's, Lawrenceville; Calvary, Christ and Emmanuel, Allegheny, and St. Thomas', Oakland. The members of the various committees are as follows:

Trinity and St. Thomas—Supper, Miss Grace Gormly, Mrs. Orlando Metcalf, Mrs. Doubleday, Miss Dunlevy, Miss Barnett and Mrs. Varker; fancy table, Mrs. Grier, and tea room, Mrs. George Shinas.

St. Peter's—Supper—Mrs. W. H. House, Mrs. George N. Munro and Mrs. J. A. G. House; fancy table, Mrs. Harvey Childs, Jr., Mrs. Robert T. Reineman, Mrs. McMasters, Mrs. E. H. Wood, Mrs. Chas. Mrs. Alexander Patterson, Miss Gertrude Childs, Miss Virginia Johnston, Miss Emma Price and Mrs. Ramsey Speer.

Christ church—Supper, Mrs. George V. Kimberlin, Miss Oliver, Mrs. Moore, Miss Lottie Wood, Miss Norma Kimberlin and Mrs. Edward Snodgrass.

Emmanuel church—Supper, Mrs. John McClurg, Mrs. J. H. Stewart, Miss Wall; fancy table, Miss Willa Forsyth and Miss Anna McCandless; candy, Junior Daughters.

Calvary—Supper, Mrs. H. D. W. English, Mrs. A. F. Wurtz, Mrs. John H. McIlvaine, Mrs. V. S. Gaggin, Miss Kate Creighton, Miss Grace Taylor, Mrs. Marian Sellers, Mrs. L. Arnold, Mrs. C. E. Groff, Mrs. J. Hill, Miss Mary Graff and Mrs. Allen.

Sisterhood of Calvary church—Fancy work, Mrs. George M. Taylor, Mrs. J. J. Miller, Mrs. C. E. Eaton, Mrs. C. E. Corbett, Mrs. James Robinson, Mrs. W. S. Foster, Mrs. Samuel A. Ammon, Miss Anna Robinson, Miss C. Holmes, Mrs. T. H. Skelding and Mrs. W. G. McCoy.

Church of the Ascension—Supper, Ladies' guild, Mrs. Horace G. Draves, Mrs. Samuel Ayres and Mrs. William Boyd; fancy table, Mrs. Edward B. Scull and Miss Ruth Miller.

St. Andrew's—Lemonade, Miss May Gorman; fancy table, Mrs. Howard Morton; cloak room, Mrs. George Gormley; ice cream, Mrs. C. G. Hussey, Miss M. L. Jackson, Mrs. Alfred Rankin, Mrs. Frank S. Bissell; aids, Miss Lucy Hay, Miss Eleanor DuPuy, Miss Margaret Scully, Miss Edith Hay, Miss Grace Everson, Miss Amy DuPuy, Miss Bessie Hudson and Miss Alberta Harper.

Mrs. D. G. Stewart, Mrs. J. H. McIlvaine and Mrs. McCormick will pour coffee; Miss Byram and Miss Hoag will have charge of the tickets.

Mrs. Frank Semple Bissell is president of the board of managers, Mrs. Robert T. Reineman treasurer and Mrs. S. N. Benham secretary.

Lamberton—Phillips.

FRANKLIN, PA., May 5.—(Special.)—Mrs. Mary B. Lamberton, who was married to Hilbert L. Phillips in New York Sunday night, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George H. White, Sr., of this city. She spent the winter in California, and while en route home stopped in Chicago to visit her sister, Mrs. A. E. Ellicott, where she received the telegram summoning her to New York on account of the dangerous illness of Mr. Phillips. The marriage of Mrs. Lamberton and Mr. Phillips had been arranged to take place at the home of the bride's parents in this city in June, and the bride's visit to Chicago was for the purpose of preparing her wedding trousseau. She was the widow of Frank E. Lamberton of this city, who died several years ago.

Rankin—Silvey.

At the home of her father, James H. Rankin, in Glen Osborne, Miss Helen T. Rankin was married last evening to Harry S. Silvey of Wilkinsburg. The Rev. Mr. Barrett of the Wilkinsburg Presbyterian church performed the ceremony. Only the members of the two families were present. Miss Carrie Rankin, a sister of the bride, was maid of honor, and the bridegroom's brother, T. Morgan Silvey, was best man. The wedding march was played by Miss Nellie Smith. The bride wore a gown of white crepe de chine with lace trimmings. After a wedding trip through the south Mr. and Mrs. Silvey will make their home in Glen Osborne.

Will Wed Today.

Dr. C. V. Gill of this city and Miss Amelia Roth of Allegheny will be married at 5 o'clock this afternoon at the home of the bride's parents, in Perrysville avenue, Allegheny. The ceremony will be performed by the Rev. W. I. Wishart, pastor of the Eighth United Presbyterian church, Allegheny. Both the bride and her maid, Miss Katherine Graff, will be gowned in white. Mr. Gill's best man will be his brother, Luther C. Gill. After an informal reception and supper the couple will leave for a wedding trip.

For a Town Clock.

The closing entertainment of the season for the benefit of the town clock fund was given last night in the new school building at Crafton, and was a success. A concert was given by the Pittsburgh club orchestra, assisted by the Lyric male quartet, composed of J. C. Whitfield, Frank T. Meeley, R. H. Schnecke and J. V. Cowperthwaite, with Miss Wright, reader.

Golf Season in Sewickley.

The golf season in Sewickley will be opened on Wednesday, May 13, when the Edgeworth club team will meet the Pittsburgh Field club's team in match play. Much interest is being taken in the game, and every day finds a number of players practicing on the greens.

Notes of Society.

The exhibition of the Art Students' league will be held May 7, 8 and 9 at the Clarke studio in Craft avenue and Emily street, Oakland.

Mrs. Carrie E. Speer of Forbes street, Swissvale, gave a handsome little luncheon yesterday afternoon in honor of her aunt, Mrs. Wilson King of Birmingham, England.

A piano and violin recital will be given on Friday evening in the Sunday school room of the Point Breeze Presbyterian church by William H. Oetting and E. N. Bilbie, assisted by Miss Emmaline Burke, soprano; Miss Winifred Reahard, contralto; William B. Hampton, tenor, and George F. Wagner, basso.

THE annual rose fete of the Womans' club, organized more than 20 years ago, was superseded this year by a dairy tea, held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Anthony W. Smith, Jr., in Ellwood street, East End. It was purely a club affair and was a very original entertainment. The changeableness of the season made an indoor entertainment preferable to one conducted in the open air. Mrs. Smith's home was decorated to represent a garden. In the hall, as the guests entered, they found the spring, a huge punch bowl almost buried in a mass of moss and lichen and surrounded with ferns and palms, while overshadowing it were boughs gathered from the orchard. Tin dippers were in readiness for the thirsty guests. Palms and ferns, tall and low-growing, almost surrounded the hall, vines wreathed the staircase, while in the library and in the dining-room the semblance of the old-fashioned garden was further carried out by the massing of palms with smilax and flowers gracefully combined. In the library were American beauty roses and white field daisies, the roses in remembrance of the former rose fetes. Upon the round dining table stood a simple clip basket filled with yellow dahlias, just as though they had been gathered fresh from the fields. Buttermilk was served from dairy pails, while home-made ginger bread, sponge cake and spiced cakes, with home-made candies, were served with the tea.

Receiving with Mrs. Smith were the president of the club, Mrs. Andrew Easton, and Mrs. Jane A. Hall. Assisting them were Mrs. A. C. Latimer, Mrs. Frank Whitesell, Mrs. G. W. L. Price, Mrs. Hugo Rosenberg, Miss Lucille Sayhill and Mrs. Robert Coard. All of the assistants but Mrs. Coard appeared in dairy maids' costume, pretty yellow gowns (yellow or old gold being the club color), fetching white caps and aprons and black shoes trimmed with huge buckles.

All business of the club was relegated to the ground and the club members had a picnic on the farm, apparently. A feature of the entertainment was a guessing contest, based on the names of the members of the club, some being very humorous conundrums. A prize was given for the most complete and correct list of answers, which was won by Mrs. Florence Wade. The prize was one of the recent new books. Another prize, a pretty little clock, was given for the funniest anecdote told, Mrs. Sara Archer winning it. The next meeting of the club will be for the annual election.

After Depots and Post-Offices.

The unsanitary condition of the Union station and the Federal building have been brought to the notice of the club women. At the meeting of the committee of sanitation of the permanent civic committee held yesterday the matter was called to the attention of the women and the chairman, Mrs. W. W. Wishart, was authorized to appoint sub-committees, one to interview the superintendent of terminals for the purpose of asking that notices be posted throughout the Union depot prohibiting expectoration, and the other to consult with the superintendent of the Federal building regarding the condition of the postoffice, complaint having been made to the women. The committees will be appointed within a few days.

Encouraging letters were read yesterday morning from the East End board of trade and the Allegheny County Medical association commending the women and approving the steps they have taken for the improvement of the sanitary conditions of the street cars and other public conveyances. The committee will meet in June, but its meetings will be suspended for July and August. The women expect to resume their active crusade again in the fall with renewed energy.

Suffrage and Civic Improvement.

The Women's Suffrage club of Wilkinsburg held its regular meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Bowersox. It was a particularly interesting meeting, as reports were presented covering the work of the educational, the juvenile court and the tenement house improvement departments of the civic club work in which the members of the Women's Suffrage club are actively interested. The progress of the work for the summer playgrounds was reported, and was followed by a free discussion of ways and means of obtaining money to carry on the work in connection with these various interests. A meeting will be called soon to consider the raising of money, and an entertainment will probably be given. A portion of the hour of the meeting was given up to the discussion of a constitutional amendment granting suffrage to women. Of great interest during the afternoon was an informal talk given by Miss Sara O. Eaton, who described the work of the women who went to Harrisburg a few weeks ago to secure the passage of the juvenile court bills.

The less foundation there is for a slander the longer it lives. How many ideas are in existence today that have been handed down through the channels of literature and verbal tradition and are simply believed in by the mass of mankind, and yet are absolutely erroneous. For example, take that common idea of woman's garrulity. From the prevalence of this mistaken notion one might imagine that man has lost the power of speech, and that woman is the sole medium for verbal communication, writes Robert Webster Jones in the May Housekeeper. The so-called "comic" papers teem with jokes in which woman's alleged fondness for "words, words, words," as Hamlet says, is held up for ridicule. The men who write cynical paragraphs for the press are continually harping upon this ancient theme of feminine loquacity with such remarks as this: "A man in Missouri hasn't spoken a word to his wife in 10 years. Perhaps he was unwilling to interrupt." Or, "It was said of a certain great man that he could be silent in seven languages. It is rarely that a woman performs one-seventh of this feat." Funny? Perhaps, but with a sting.

An Ancient Slander.

Let us see whether verbosity is a purely feminine characteristic. Preaching and the law may be regarded as chief among the "talkative" professions, and these are filled almost exclusively by men. Barbering, too, which is somewhat of a conversational calling, attracts many more men than women, and who ever heard of a female auctioneer? The truth is, the power of speech was given to both men and women for intelligent use, and one sex abuses the privilege about as much as the other. But to lay the entire burden of criticism upon woman is the essence of injustice.

Shall we look half as pretty as our grandmothers did in the cottage bonnet of 1840? Because it's coming. It has not yet appeared, but in London it has been seen at least half a dozen times. And it is certainly coming over here in due time.

Cottage Bonnets Again.

One of those quaint bonnets was in pink straw trimmed with narrow lines of black lace edging. The whole of the brim was trimmed with little frills of the same. The crown was made entirely of soft pink roses, and resting on the hair was a little inner brim of a most fascinating and becoming description. There were long strings of wide, soft blue ribbon.

Another was all Tuscan straw with pale blue ribbons and white feathers; and a white rice straw bonnet, trimmed with pink roses and jessamine (does it not sound old-worldly?), had blue strings coming from the back.

An adaptation of the Victoria poke was in burnt straw trimmed with black velvet and feathers and pink roses, a cluster of which were tucked under the brim.

ALLEGHENY TEACHER GOES TO HOMESTEAD

PROF. J. M. NORRIS.

Prof. J. M. Norris, for the past 14 years principal of the Twelfth ward, Allegheny, schools, was elected superintendent of the Homestead public schools last Monday evening. He is to assume charge of the schools August 3. Prof. Norris was elected to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Prof. J. C. Kendal, who had been at the head of the Homestead schools for 22 years, and who resigned to embark in the lumber business. The position pays $2,000 per year. Prof. Norris is a native of Green county.

PUPILS SANG WELL.

J. S. Martin's Classes Were in Fine Voice at Carnegie Music Hall.

Carnegie Music hall was crowded to the limit last night at the annual concert by the pupils of James Stephen Martin. These concerts afford the public a chance to hear some of the best of our new singers, and also are interesting to those who appreciate the value of good student work along these lines.

The singers who appeared last evening were without exception up to the average of many well-known professionals. Noticeable features were the lack of straining for effect, the apparent ease with which song after song was sung, and the uniform beauty and clarity of tone.

Particularly delightful was the singing of Misses Lang and Ellis and Mr. Vaughan. Two well-trained and spirited choruses were given.

PERSONALS

H. C. Fry of the Rochester Glass Company passed through Pittsburgh last night on his way to Washington and New York on a business trip. While in Washington Mr. Fry will file an application for a patent on a glass making device. He refused to state the nature of the invention.

Pittsburgh local No. 6, Commercial Telegraphers, was to have held a special meeting last night at the Hotel Griswold, but there were not sufficient telegraphers present to form a quorum and the meeting was abandoned. It is said the members were afraid to hold a meeting for fear of jeopardizing their positions.

Charles Watts, general superintendent of passenger transportation of the Pennsylvania lines, left last night for Philadelphia. He will attend a meeting of the passenger officials of the Pennsylvania railroad, for the purpose of finally adjusting the summer schedule.

L. Monsarrat, president of the Hocking Valley railroad, accompanied by James H. White, vice president and general counsel, of Cleveland, arrived in the city last night in their private car over the Pennsylvania railroad. Mr. Monsarrat said they were here to confer with railroad officials of Pittsburgh, but who or what the nature of the business is he refused to state.

W. E. Morrow, auditor of the ore department of the Carnegie Steel Company, now located at Duluth, but formerly of this city, is in Pittsburgh on business connected with the ore output of the Lake Superior district.

A very interesting paper was read before the mechanical section of the Engineers' Society of Western Pennsylvania last evening on "Power Plant Design" by R. V. Stovel, mechanical engineer for Westinghouse, Church, Kerr & Co.

Neighbors Visiting Pittsburgh.

Nearby people who registered at the local hotels yesterday were as follows:

Duquesne—Samuel W. Spencer and Charles A. Spencer, Glenshaw; J. A. Miller, Altoona; John E. Hart, Greensburg, and Charles W. Gill and E. H. Hall, Sharon.

Griswold—James Lloyd, Lebanon; S. Work, Ridgeway; R. A. Bryant, Wheeling; A. H. Blackwood and D. G. Arthur, Altoona, and W. H. Chandley, Beaver Falls.

Monongahela House—S. C. Wolt, Monongahela City; F. J. McCain, Mercer; W. A. Luce, Erie; Charles C. Cook, Meyersdale; S. D. Newcomer, Uniontown, and H. H. Stambaugh, Youngstown.

Seventh Avenue—N. G. Noble, DuBois; Frank S. Calvin, Bradford; W. C. Cowell, Waynesburg; J. Mase, Greensburg; John G. Shanklin, West Elizabeth; R. B. Thompson, Ridgeway; R. H. Brodhead, Butler, and J. E. Madden, Warren.

Newell's—James Lloyd, Lebanon; W. G. Wagner, Massilon; N. L. Chamberlain, Scranton, and J. H. Evans, Beaver.

Lincoln—J. B. Henderson and G. E. Templeton, Brookville, and D. C. Wallace, New Castle.

Anderson—D. H. McIntyre, Punxsutawney, and S. F. Potter, Greensburg.

Victoria—Howard Katzenstein, Washington; C. D. Beadle, Canton, and William White, Sharon.

Henry—J. O. Jamison, Portsmouth; C. F. Teter, Philippi; M. F. Jacobs, Brownsville; E. Stanley, Edgeworth; J. C. Trees, New Martinsville; John N. Fort, Dunbar, and T. P. Lowther, Punxsutawney.

TO MEET IN PITTSBURGH

Next Annual State Convention of Knights of Columbus to Be Held Here.

PHILADELPHIA, May 5.—Over 100 delegates and state officers attended the state convention of the Knights of Columbus today. Reports showed there are now 52 councils in the state, with a membership of 7,143. This is an increase of more than 1,000 during the past year.

State Deputy Supreme Grand Knight James A. Flaherty of Philadelphia refused a re-election for a sixth term and was succeeded by Patrick H. Lynch of Philadelphia. The other officers elected were: State secretary, Joseph T. McDevitt, Philadelphia; state treasurer, Richard J. Burke, Scranton; state warden, John T. Brew, Erie; state lecturer, A. S. McSwigan, Pittsburgh; state physician, Dr. M. F. Crezven, Pittsburgh; state advocate, John E. McDonough, Chester; state chaplain, the Rt. Rev. J. F. Regis Canevin, coadjutor bishop of Pittsburgh. Delegates to the national council in New Haven, Conn.: P. J. McNulty, Pittsburgh; F. J. Lanahan, Pittsburgh; John M. Carr, Hazleton; Joseph H. McGee, South Bethlehem.

Pittsburgh was chosen as the next place of meeting.

WANT TO BE PREACHERS.

Annual Examinations of Reformed Presbyterian Seminary in Allegheny.

The annual examinations were held yesterday in the Reformed Presbyterian seminary, Allegheny, by the board of superintendents, consisting of the Revs. P. T. Stevenson of Philadelphia and R. M. Somerville of New York, and Elders W. W. Sterritt and John I. Steel. The five candidates for the ministry are Samuel Edgar, Boston; Ernest M. Elsey, Beaver Falls; Samuel E. Greer, Hopkinton, Ia.; Julius A. Kempf, New York, and P. C. Matthews, Sterling, Kan.

Yesterday afternoon the board attended the Sandusky street church where W. H. George of Beaver Falls, George N. Greer of Hopkinton, Ia., and W. W. Wilson of New Concord, O., first year men, delivered sermons as specimens of improvement. The examinations will finish today when the five candidates will deliver their trial sermons before the board in the Sandusky street church.

At the evening session Harry Patterson of Springfield, Ill., Delher Elliott of Dubuque, Ia., and George Steele of the East End, Pittsburgh, second year students, delivered trial sermons. They were highly approved.

HINKLE WILL NOT DO FOR LIBRARY BOARD

COLUMBUS, O., May 5.—(Special.)—Mayor Jeffrey in a letter to ex-Mayor Hinkle this morning withdrew his appointment of Hinkle as a member of the board of trustees of the Columbus Carnegie library. The mayor says that he is determined to have a non-partisan and harmonious administration in all departments and that Hinkle's attempt to play politics to the last has compelled him to look elsewhere for a member of the library board.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday:

John Bes	McKeesport
Selma Stein	McKeesport
Maxmillian Eisman	Pittsburgh
Magdalena Winter	Pittsburgh
James L. Stevenson	Sharpsburg
Dora Poindexter	Sharpsburg
Edward Conroy	Brackenridge
Mary Ford	Brackenridge
Frank J. Eberlein	Pittsburgh
Emma Magee	Pittsburgh
Frank Carpenter	Pittsburgh
Henrietta Brenfleck	Pittsburgh
John B. Stephens	Fayette
Margaret M. Shearer	Washington
C. V. McGill	Allegheny
Amelia Roth	Allegheny
William J. Licht	Wilmerding
Mary Anderson	Elizabeth
William Bundrant	Pittsburgh
Sarah Stewart	Allegheny
Edward Connolly	Pittsburgh
Annie Foley	Pittsburgh
Willis Young	Mt. Oliver
Mamie M. Lewarre	Allegheny county
William J. Gillespie	Allegheny
Ella McPoland	Johnstown
Charles A. McCall	Pittsburgh
Jamie P. Wade	Indian territory

MONEY FOR CHINA MISSIONS

Methodist Protestants to Establish a Home, For Which $2,000 Was Raised.

Two thousand dollars for a home at Changteh, Hunan province, China, was voted by the local executive committee of the Women's Foreign Missionary society of the Methodist Protestant church, at a special meeting yesterday. Miss Kunhs, a missionary from Japan, now traveling secretary of the board, returned from Indiana yesterday and submitted her report of the work done there since January 23, 1903. Thursday of next week the board will meet to make a report on the annual meeting of the society, which meets at Morgantown, W. Va., May 29.

The Pittsburgh directory of the Methodist Protestant board of publications held its annual meeting yesterday. Dr. J. H. Lucas of Fairmont, W. Va., presided in the absence of W. K. Gillespie. Dr. Lucas was formerly pastor of the First Methodist Protestant church of Allegheny, removing to Fairmont about a year ago. Regular routine business was transacted.

Music in Allegheny.

The program of City Organist H. P. Ecker for the organ recital in Allegheny Carnegie hall this evening is made up of compositions originally written for the organ by Merkel, Guilmant, MacMasters and Widor, and piano, orchestra and operatic transcriptions by Herold, Oehmler, Wagner and Gillet. Mr. Ecker will be assisted by Leo Oehmler, violinist and Dr. C. Buttner, cornetist. The former is the well-known musician and composer and the latter is an artist of splendid ability and formerly a member of the Pittsburgh Symphony orchestra.

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THE READER MAGAZINE, noted for its discriminating book reviews, says: The dish of romance in UNDER THE ROSE is served up with plenty of cayenne pepper from beginning to end; it is romance, romance and all the time romance, and therefore precisely what we want in moods when reality is the one thing fictional we wish to avoid.

Mr. Isham's UNDER THE ROSE is readable, promising, and a fair candidate for six figures on the selling list.

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SEMLER DID NOT KILL HIS WIFE

Jury Acquitted Duquesne Saloon-keeper of a Charge of Murder.

BADGER ARTISTS FREE.

Testimony in the Briggs Divorce Case Filed—Insurance Companies Say Duquesne Fire Was Started to Get Money on Stock.

Alexander Semler, a Duquesne saloonkeeper, was yesterday acquitted of a charge of murder after a short deliberation by the jury. The case was tried before Judge J. A. Evans, with District Attorney John C. Haymaker and his assistant, John C. Robb, Jr., conducting the prosecution, and Attorney Joseph R. McQuaide appeared for the defense.

Semler was accused of having inflicted injuries that resulted in the death of his wife. On the evening of June 1 last, he announced that he had found his wife badly hurt at the foot of a flight of stairs, and that she had fallen from the top. She was conscious for about two hours afterwards and then expired from a blood clot on the brain. During her conscious period she made numerous statements which some construed to be against her husband.

In Judge Taylor's branch of criminal court, nolle prosses were allowed in the indictments charging Arley Archie and his wife, May Archie, with conspiracy, and the husband with pointing firearms. The cases were the outgrowth of an alleged badger game attempted on Maurice Mayfield, on November 11, 1902.

Frances Foley was convicted of selling liquor illegally. Assistant District Attorney W. B. Grimes in arguing the case to the jury referred to her as a "trust" engaged in the social evil. She was charged with conducting six resorts in the Fifth ward. Her counsel John Marron, filed a motion for a new trial on the grounds that the assistant district attorney in his argument had said, "the defendant is here without denial," which the defense charges referred to the defendant's course in not taking the witness stand. She was acquitted of the charge of keeping disorderly houses, but had the costs placed on her.

Testimony was filed in the divorce case of Florence H. Briggs against Dr. Elmer E. Briggs. The respondent for some years practiced medicine in the Thirty-first ward, having an office at No. 24 Washington avenue with Dr. C. C. Williams, who is mentioned as the "next friend" of Mrs. Briggs in the case. Dr. Briggs was reputed to have considerable property at one time and was a well-known practitioner. The couple were married on March 22, 1885, and separated in May, 1899.

James Bryan entered suit against Alexander M. Neger in common pleas court No. 3 to recover $18,000. It is claimed by the plaintiff that in September, 1901, he was employed by the defendant to make surveys, maps and locate a right of way for a street railway in Milwaukee and also prepare specifications. For this work he carried out his agreement. He alleges that his compensation was to be 5 per cent of the cost of the construction and equipment of the road. The plaintiff claims that the estimate was $1,300,000, and that during the work he expended $2,528 for salaries, etc.

The case of the administrator of the estate of Edward Freidman against the Pittsburgh Insurance Company et al. came before the jury. Attorney Archie and others are defendants in the case. The action is to recover $5,000 insurance upon stock of a store in Duquesne as a result of fires on January 12 and January 18 last. It is claimed the first fire destroyed nearly all of the goods and that the second fire destroyed what was left and also papers relating to the first fire.

The insurance companies allege that it is not true that the second fire broke out next door, and state that they expect to be able to prove that the fires were purposely started by some person or persons interested in the stock of the store for the purpose of obtaining the insurance money.

TWO DEFENDANTS FAILED TO APPEAR

United States Court Disposed of a Number of Criminal Cases. Edmundson-Perrine Assets.

In the United States district court, which convened its session of jury trials yesterday morning, considerable business was done. Joseph T. Wapple, charged with obtaining a citizenship certificate procured by fraud, and E. J. Syphan, charged with aiding another to obtain a certificate fraudulently, were called for trial, but on their failure to appear their bail was ordered forfeited by Judge Buffington.

George C. Carter, formerly a postal clerk in the South Side station, pleaded guilty to two indictments charging him with embezzling postal funds and money of the United States. His peculations aggregated $64 45. Sentence was deferred for the present.

Edward A. and Paul Kemerer, charged with placing a letter in the mails for fraudulent purposes, were on trial when court adjourned. They are accused of criminal practices in an investment enterprise, conducted under the name of Kerson & Co., with an office in the Schmidt building, Fifth avenue, which guaranteed big returns.

The grand jury made the following returns yesterday:

A. W. Burnett (3), placing letters in pursuance of a scheme to defraud; F. A. Basel (2), letter carrier detaining and delaying letters; Guiseppe Panza, aiding and abetting another in using forged naturalization certificate; Nicola Fattura and Guiseppe Panza, using forged certificate of naturalization; Bruno Pasteraro, personating another in application for certificate of citizenship; F. A. Spingotelli (4), obtaining a certificate of citizenship procured by fraud; Altabonno and Colton Vito, passing and attempting to pass and keeping in possession forged obligation of the United States; Altabonna Vito, same.

F. A. Bassi was a letter carrier in the Bloehover district. He pleaded guilty to the indictment against him, which resulted from his failure to collect and deliver mail.

A. W. Burnett, who was indicted for using the mails fraudulently is charged with having conducted a scheme in Altoona in which he advertised to pay "home workers" 15 cents per letter for writing at home, provided the applicants invested $1 for an electric belt.

Angelo Spingotelli, Jr., Ed. Fleck and Michael Spinozzolle, entered pleas of guilty to violations of the naturalization laws.

In the same court the appraisers appointed in the bankruptcy proceedings against the Edmundson-Perrine Company, filed their report. The report shows the Smithfield street store to contain stock valued at $28,180 74; in a warehouse at No. 700 Second avenue, $17,887 36; in Bain & Keenan's storage warehouse, $1,041 50 which, with several smaller items make a stock on hand valued at $46,039 60.

LEGAL BRIEFS.

Three cases were argued in the superior court yesterday after which an adjournment was taken, until next week.

Marie M. C. Knepper took out letters testamentary on the estate of Charles Knepper of Carnegie. Attorney W. R. Errett has charge of the estate.

Thomas Edwards began habeas corpus proceedings against his wife, Margaret Edwards, to obtain possession of their daughter, Jessie M. Edwards. The father claims his wife deserted him and clandestinely took the child from the little one's grandmother.

A verdict for the defendant was rendered in the case of John D. Armstrong, administrator of the estate of L. R. Bacon, and surviving partner of Lathrop R. Bacon & Co., against Charles Bickel, an action to recover $24,000 on a stock transaction at the time Northern Pacific took a jump in May, 1901.

Irish Immigration Increases.

NEW YORK, May 5.—(Special.)—During April the number of Irish immigrants was more than 2,000 larger than during the same month last year, the figures being 7,206.

WIDOW DIPS KERCHIEF IN HUSBAND'S BLOOD

Officers of Law in Breathitt County, Ky., Paralyzed by Fear of Death.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

JACKSON, KY., May 5.—Your correspondent today was told the facts regarding the assassination of J. B. Marcum, on condition that no names be used. Marcum was shot twice, and after firing one shot the assassin ran to him and fired a bullet in his brain.

Marcum's wife visited the scene this morning. She took her handkerchief and saturated it with the blood of her husband. Belvin Ewing, to whom Marcum was talking when he was shot, recognized the two men, one of whom was standing with drawn revolver as if to guard the man who was doing the shooting, and two men across the street drew their revolvers as if to cover the approach to the court house and prevent entrance until the assassins escaped.

Capt. D. D. Hurst, postmaster of Jackson and father-in-law of the murdered man, admitted this afternoon that he is afraid to discuss the identity of the men who fired the shots.

"The killing was to have been done last Saturday at the county convention," said a Jackson citizen today. "I knew somebody was to be killed, but I did not think it was Marcum they were after."

OIL CITY SITE HAS BEEN SELECTED

WASHINGTON, May 5.—(Special.)—The site for the public building at Oil City was decided upon today by the supervising architect of the treasury. The bid of the Oil Well Supply Company site in Seneca street at $25,000 was accepted. As soon as the title is acquired by the government the plans will be drawn and the work on the building will begin this summer, unless further delays are encountered.

IS NOT ALARMED BY STEEL CORPORATION

BERLIN, May 5.—Herr Moeller, the Prussian commerce minister, speaking before the Magdeburg chamber of commerce today, said: "One of Mr. Morgan's associates said to me some days ago that the distrust which the United States Steel corporation caused was not justified. They were not such simpletons as to try to take advantage of the consumers, although they were able to do so."

Guatemala Is Grateful.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—(Special.)—The president is in receipt of a letter from Manuel Estrada, president of the republic of Guatemala, thanking him for his good offices, by means of which the recent internal troubles in that country were brought to an end. President Roosevelt has forwarded a suitable reply.

Oppose Change of Church Name.

PHILADELPHIA, May 5.—The delegates to the yearly convention of the Protestant Episcopal church of the diocese of eastern Pennsylvania are opposed to the proposed change of the church name. Bishop Whitaker spoke vigorously against the change.

THE THREE RIVERS.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CINCINNATI, May 5.—River 14.8 feet and falling. Packets: Hudson left this p. m. Virginia was late in getting in from Pittsburgh today owing to fog. The Florence Mayo left and Defender last night with fleet of empties. The Defender came up from New Orleans, while the Marmet arrived this morning from the Kanawha with coal. The government snagboat E. A. Woodruff will leave in the morning for the upper river on her annual trip for the removal of obstructions to navigation.

LOUISVILLE.—River falling, with 5 feet 5 inches on the falls, 7 feet 7 inches in the canal and 16 feet at the foot of the locks. The Transit put a tow of coal through the canal destined for Cairo, but is delayed waiting for the current to cut out the channel below the foot of the locks so that she can get through. The locks are also full of mud. The Jack Frost brought a tow from Cincinnati and returned.

WHEELING—River 5 feet 2 inches and falling. Departed, Queen City, Pittsburgh, 4 a. m.; Ben Hur, Parkersburg, noon; Keystone State, Cincinnati, 1 p. m.; Bedford, Parkersburg, 2 p. m.

STEUBENVILLE—River 4 feet 5 inches and falling. Down, Ben Hur and Keystone State. Up, Queen City and Mary H.

MARIETTA—River 5.5 feet and falling. Bessie Smith for Pittsburgh, 3 p. m.; Keystone State down 10 p. m.

GREENSBORO—River 7 feet 7 inches and falling.

OIL CITY—River 1 foot 7 inches and falling.

WARREN—River nine-tenths of a foot.

GALLIPOLIS—River 9 feet 7 inches and falling.

PARKERSBURG—River 6 feet and falling. Departures, Bessie Smith for Pittsburgh; Valley BeBe for Middleport. The Keystone State is due for Cincinnati at midnight.

NEW PLEASURE BOAT.

Snug Craft to Run on Allegheny Named After The Gazette.

The Gazette, a pretty, trim little craft, will be put in commission next week. She is being built by Otto Price of Allegheny and is owned by R. T. Newmaker of the Pennsylvania Lumber Company. She is 75 feet by 16 feet and has 75 horsepower. Her stroke is 28 inches and her cylinders 7 inches. She has high pressure boilers calculated to generate 250 pounds of steam. The Gazette is licensed as a passenger boat, but will be used sometimes to tow coal flats from Kennercell on the Allegheny river, where the Pennsylvania Lumber Company builds the flats. Mr. Newmaker will have her fitted up for long cruises in the rivers. Next year a large party will go to the exposition at St. Louis and also make an extended trip down the Mississippi on The Gazette.

A great many people crossing the Sixth street bridge yesterday were attracted by the good appearance of the newly painted boat, with Gazette in large letters on her sides. It immediately brought to mind the Pittsburgh newspaper, after which she is named. When the boat is brought out next week for her first trip Mr. Newmaker will have her decorated with flags and bunting and she will make the trip about the local harbor. A large coon will also decorate this snug little craft.

DEPARTURE.

Kanawha, Roe, Charleston.

At 9 o'clock last night the marks on the gauge at the Davis Island dam showed a depth of 4.4 feet and the river was rising.

The Edgar Cherry was the Morgantown packet yesterday.

The Queen City is due to be in from Cincinnati this morning.

The Dave Wood was due to arrive last night with a tow of empties.

The United States engineers will hold a hearing at East Liverpool on May 12 in the matter of the erection of the proposed highway bridge across the Ohio at that place.

A hearing in the matter of the plans of the proposed alterations on the county bridge at Zanesville will be held there May 29. The bridge has been declared an unreasonable obstruction to the river, as the draws do not work properly. Local rivermen will be present at both hearings.

United States Inspector of Steam Vessels Isaac B. Williams and George H. Atkinson have set May 13 for the first hearings on the alleged violations of marine laws which have created such a stir lately. Two or three cases will be considered that day. They inspected the Florence Belle yesterday.

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Burgess st., near Perrysville ave. and University place—Two-story frame house of 6 rooms, hall, front and rear porch; rent $25; possession at once. (b-401)

Willow st., 4 brick houses of six rooms; rent $18 per month; possession at once. (b-702)

Furnished House.

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Call at my office for real bargains on Perrysville ave.

GEO. S. CARUTHERS, 1104 Federal st., Allegheny.

FOR SALE—Only $5,000—Perrysville district. Near boulevard, frame, built and occupied by owner; cost close than 2 years ago; $5,000 to build house. Balance in improvements; lot valued at $800. Total $6,400. Will exchange for business, owner leaving city; great bargain, exceptionally nice house. The truth of these statements can be verified.

JAMES W. TURNER, 442 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE—IN ALLEGHENY—

A VERY NEAT RESIDENCE

Property, large side lot, on a fine paved street, near electric cars.

10 fine rooms, bath, toilet and all modern appliances, and everything in prime condition.

JAS. DONAPE & CO., 426 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE—SECOND WARD, ALLEGHENY.

Brick house, 6 rooms, hall, bath, etc. Lot 20x77 ft. Only $5,000.

A. D. WILSON, 221 Federal st., Allegheny, Pa.

TENTH ward, Allegheny—Frame, 7 rooms, bath, reception hall and all other improvements; lot 50x85; possession in 60 days; price only $5,000; terms easy.

GAULT & GIFFEN, 316 Fourth ave.

East End Residences.

A RARE CHANCE.

Nineteenth ward, near Negley ave.; two new brick houses, 12 rooms, center hall; all conveniences; lot 40x180 ft. each; $14,000 each.

UNION REALTY CO., Westinghouse Bldg.

Real Estate—Special.

SQUIRREL HILL FRONTAGE.

A 75-foot lot on improved street; finest location; handy to all car lines; building restrictions; price only $100 per foot. See REAL ESTATE TRUST CO., 311 Fourth ave.

ON SHADY AVENUE.

Fine 12-room brick house in best part of Squirrel Hill; three baths, laundry, furnace, electric light, instantaneous water heater; hardwood floors throughout; lot 45x180; beautiful lawn; large porches; price $15,000. For permit see REAL ESTATE TRUST CO., 311 Fourth ave.

SQUIRREL HILL RESIDENCE.

An 11-room reception hall brick house, with corner lot 65x140 feet; finished in hardwood; all conveniences; a fine property; house beautifully decorated throughout; price $14,000. For permit see REAL ESTATE TRUST CO., 311 Fourth ave.

RESIDENCE AT THORNBURG.

Fine Dispelsian brick and shingle house of 8 rooms and center hall; finished in quartered oak; combination chandeliers, tile bath room, laundry tubs, furnace, instantaneous water heater, natural gas, verandas, sidewalks; three large porches; lot 50x125 feet to 20-foot alley; 1 minute from car line and railroad; price only $7,000; immediate possession; an exceptional bargain. See REAL ESTATE TRUST CO., 311 Fourth ave.

ON EUCLID AVENUE.

Reception hall frame house of 8 rooms, bath, etc., instantaneous water heater, bath grates, hardwood mantels, tile hearths, electric light, furnace, laundry; porches; lot 28x100 feet; reasonable terms; price $8,500. See REAL ESTATE TRUST CO., 311 Fourth ave.

ON SOUTH SIDE HILLTOP.

A cozy little home on Hoeveler street; good frame house of 8 rooms, gas, water, laundry, cemented cellar; in first-class condition; good stable in rear of lot, 50x100 feet to alley; trees, shrubbery, etc.; price only $3,200; immediate possession. See REAL ESTATE TRUST CO., 311 Fourth ave.

If you want to purchase Fifth ave. property
Call on us—we have it exclusively.
Real Estate Department,
Fidelity Home Assurance & Realty Company,
Incorporated.
312 Fourth Ave.

Atlantic City Real Estate.

ATLANTIC CITY.

If you have Atlantic City in mind as a renter or buyer of cottages, boarding houses, hotels or real estate, we can offer you the best and greatest variety and at right prices. Write, call or 'phone, C. J. ADAMS CO., successors to Israel G. Adams & Co., 2, 4, 6, 8, Law building, Atlantic City, N. J. 'Phone 71 A.

FOR SALE.

Lots.

NEAR PARK ENTRANCE.

Almost the last desirable building site left on Highland avenue at a bargain; $170 per front foot; property adjoining sold at $200 per foot; it's bound to find a quick buyer.

UNION REALTY COMPANY, Westinghouse Building.

DON'T THROW YOUR MONEY AWAY on 22 or 30 foot lots at house rates, when you can get one of those fine home sites three times as large at Bennsdale for same price; free excursions every Saturday.

See KLDERKIN STANTON CO., 432 Fourth ave.

FREE—100 lots to advertise Wildwood Lake, N. Y., suburb. Send stamp for deed 25 feet, agreeing distribute five coupons. Beadle Co., D, 187 Broadway, N. Y.

FOR SALE—3 lots on Massachusetts ave., 110 feet Allegheny Pa., 25x129 ft. Only $800 each.

A. D. WILSON, 221 Federal st.

FOR SALE—Cheap; large corner lot at Emsworth, Pa. Inquire 515 Federal st., Allegheny.

Farms.

FARM.

126 acres, 2 miles from Baden, P. Ft. W. & C. R. R. Co. yards; superior building stone; fire-clay and coal; 7-room house; fine new barn, etc. This is an ideal farm and location. Easy payments, $25 an acre.

ZAHNISER & CO., 426 4th ave.

CHOICE BUTLER CO. FARM.

Farm of 81 acres, 25 miles from city, 3 miles from good town, underlaid with coal; some timber; considered oil territory; good land, good buildings; splendid fruit; price reduced to $4,500. Investigate.

ROYAL REALTY CO., 605 Times building.

FARM AND COAL.

46½ acres on the P. R. R., 10 minutes' walk from R. R. and trolley line; no buildings; 12 acres Pgh. vein of coal (open); good market for the coal; only $1,000.

ZAHNISER & CO., 426 Fourth ave.

Lands and Acreage.

A BARGAIN IN ACREAGE.

85½ acres in Twenty-first ward, part of which fronts on car line; ripe for subdivision; adjoining property with fine brick residences. Low price.

UNION REALTY CO., Westinghouse Bldg.

FAYETTE CO. COAL FARM—60 acres, all recently lined up; coal bank open; good coal, good buildings; land rolling and productive; price $25,000.

ROYAL REALTY CO., 605 Times Bldg.

Business Properties.

ON Penn ave., down town; 125x119 feet, corner property; $2,700 a foot, on Penn ave. frontage.

UNION REALTY CO., Westinghouse Bldg.

For Sale or Exchange.

FOR EXCHANGE.

Will give $9,000 in cash and the following clear lots in Allegheny for a business property. Will assume some mortgage. What have you to offer?

AVALON, PA.—Lot No. 39, Wm. Jackson plan, First st., 25x100 feet. Price $400.

HATSVILLE, PA.—Pgh., Ft. W. & C. Ry.—Eleven lots, 50x110 feet each, Woodlawn ave. Nos. 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 279 and 280. Price $200 each.

Glenmawr Park Plan. $200 each.

NEW KENSINGTON—Cor. Eighth st. and second ave.; Lot No. 181, block; lot No. 3, Aulo tract. $600.

BELLEVUE—Forest ave., near Thomas st.—Lot 40x150 feet. $650.

UNION REALTY CO., Westinghouse Bldg.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.

Brick house 9 rooms, bath, laundry, reception hall, front porch, built back from street line. Lot 40x100 feet.

A. D. WILSON, 221 Federal st., Allegheny, Pa.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Four houses of 5 rooms each; rental $372. Will exchange for large home in Allegheny.

A. D. ALLISON, 309 Federal st., Allegheny.

Business Opportunities.

OIL. OIL. OIL.

WE HAVE now under lease 1,500 acres of oil land situate in the state of Ohio, in a county now producing the largest amount of Pennsylvania oil in the country. A limited number of shares in each lease for sale at reasonable supply; this will bear investigation.

OIL LOCK BOX 1529, CITY.

BOARDING AND ROOMING HOUSE.

Splendid first chance located in the heart and rear of Highland ave., elegantly furnished throughout; owner leaving for Europe, will sell everything for $1,500; business clearing fully $100 per month after paying all expenses. Furniture worth $2,500.

S. R. FAULKNER & CO., INC'D. 428 Fourth ave., third door from P. O.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL LIQUOR BUSINESS—Located in one of the best towns of Ohio; only 70 miles from Pittsburgh; good business, including retail, $2,500, making an actual profit of over $1,000 for the month; modern building with dwelling connected; low rent; 5 years' lease; cheap cash reduction; sideboard, ice boxes, etc., for $1,000, and the entire stock; stock will invoice at present about $9,200; don't answer this ad unless you have the cash and can give good reference.

ESTEP & CO., 326 Fourth ave.

REAL ESTATE BUSINESS—One-third interest in old-established real estate office in Fourth ave.; business in successful operation and making money; plenty of good business on hand; requires a competent, energetic, hustling location and valuable leasehold; desire active man to purchase interest of silent partner; exceptionally good opening in this line; terms cash; $3,000.

ESTEP & CO., 326 Fourth ave.

RESTAURANT.

Located in Fourteenth ward, Pittsburgh; entire furnishment of restaurant for sale for $2,000; business has cleared present owner $250 per month, and more by all appearance; owner in ill health, must leave city.

S. R. FAULKNER & CO., INC'D. 428 Fourth ave., third door from P. O.

SALOON—Old-established stand in Allegheny good location; steady trade; $2,75 to $300 per week; five years' lease at $40 per month, including seven living rooms; everything in good shape; $5,500 includes stock, new bowling, bar, dining room and kitchen equipments; cash needed $3,500.

ESTEP & CO., 326 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE.

Hardware store in Jeannette, invoice about $4,000; well located; will sell to a quick buyer at 10 per cent reduction.

M'PEAK & CARLISLE, Jeannette, Pa.

BUSINESS of all kinds sold, partners secured for established business, stock companies organized and industrial enterprises financed; all business strictly confidential.

THE PUBLIC TRUST CO., 326 Fourth ave.

BUSINESS of all kinds bought and sold; partners secured for established business, etc.; all transactions strictly confidential.

KIRK & VOGEL, 1109 Arrott building.

FOR SALE—Wall paper, window shades and variety store, located in good town, well established trade, good lease. Invoice about $3,800; vacant lot in city will be considered. Address W 71, The Gazette.

GROCERY STORE—In nearby town, doing business $900 a day; rent $25 month; price, $4,000. CAVANAGH CO., 431 Fourth ave.

MEAT MARKET—In suburb; doing business $60 day; rent, $18 month; price, $1,000. CAVANAGH CO., 431 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE—Cheap for cash; a fine marble, iron and tale property; for full particulars address Alfred S. Emerson, Murphy, N. C.

IF you want to buy or sell any kind of business, see CAVANAGH CO., 431 Fourth ave.

BUSINESS CHANCES—Send for list. Estep & Co., 326 Fourth ave.

Sewing Machines.

WE REPAIR the Singer, Wheeler & Wilson, New Home, Domestic, Standard, White and all other makes of sewing machines; family and factory machines a specialty. Genuine needles and attachments.

H. CARTER SEWING MACHINE CO., 131 Sixth st. Next to Bijou. Bell 'phone 3245-J. Grant.

A NEW shopworn and repossessed machines, almost good as new, as low as $20. Every machine with full line of attachments and guaranteed.

Don't miss this chance, as every machine must be sold. Come at once and secure one of these great bargains.

WHITE SEWING MACHINE CO., 132 Sixth st., Pittsburgh.

Machinery.

FOR SALE—Boilers and engines, all sizes, from 3 to 125 H. P., stationary and portable; upright boilers and engines; large assortment kept in stock; shafting, pulleys and hangers, and large lot of miscellaneous machinery; second-hand belting, leather and rubber; large stock of all sizes and grades of pipe, machinery of all kinds bought and exchanged.

JOHN S. YOUNG, 108-110 Park way, Allegheny, Pa.

COAL MINE MACHINERY.

Hauling and hoisting machinery of all kinds, complete line of wire rope always on hand, all sizes, rope and rubber lined, in stock for quick delivery, prompt attention to repair work. J. & J. B. Milholland Co., 714 Fifth ave.

Pianos.

STEINWAY PIANO FOR SALE AT HENRICK'S PIANO CO., LTD.

A full size, seven and one-third octave Steinway piano, used a few years, but in excellent condition, will be sold at above figure. Owner has broken up housekeeping and has piano on hand for sale. Time given on part if desired. Cut this out and call at 613-615 Smithfield st., five doors from Fourth ave.

Horses and Vehicles.

ARRIVED—Two carloads heavy draught and pit mules; also heavy draught and general purpose horses

BETTER SENTIMENT IN INVESTMENT CIRCLES

The Splendid April Earnings of Prominent Roads Strengthens the Stock Market—Money Continues Easy—Local Stock Markets.

By JOHN O. BAGLIN, Financial Editor.

There is undoubtedly a better sentiment in investment circles. This is largely due to the continued easy tendency of the eastern money market, but the particular factor yesterday was the splendid April earnings reported by prominent roads traversing widely separated territory. These reports included the following: New York Central an increase of $782,000 for the month and $5,136,000 for 10 months; Missouri Pacific increased $500,000 for the fourth week in April and $627,000 for the month; Louisville & Nashville increased $112,000 for the week, $400,000 for the month, and $3,907,000 for the 10 months. Norfolk & Western increased $128,000 for the week, $219,000 for the month, and $2,500,000 for the 10 months; Chesapeake & Ohio increased $72,000 for the week and $187,000 for the month; Southern Railway increased $116,000 for the week, $374,000 for the month, and $3,752,000 for the 10 months; Wabash increased $279,400 for the month; Canadian Pacific increased $118,000 for the week and $543,000 for the month. These figures bear eloquent testimony to the volume of trade, its good distribution, and inferentially to the prosperous condition of the railroads. Another element of strength in the general market was the more cheerful feeling in foreign financial circles. It was reported that the Transvaal loan would be brought out in London at 3 per cent, the subscription price being par, and the loan was quoted at a premium. London cables also predicted a reduction in the Bank of England rate of discount at the weekly meeting of the governors tomorrow. Foreign quotations for American securities were fractionally higher, and during the opening hours on the New York board there was an appreciable increase in the volume of trading and a firm tone to the general list. Pennsylvania and Atchison were quoted ex-dividend. The coal stocks, with the exception of Reading, were less active, but prices were higher in the early dealings. In the afternoon the market became quieter, and values dropped slightly, so that the close was near the lowest prices, but the net changes were not significant. Two causes were cited for the dullness and reactionary tendency during the afternoon. One of these was the growing feeling that New York may export some gold on Thursday, or at latest next week. The other was the effects of the warmer weather on growing crops and farm work. It was reported that some injury had occurred in the cotton belt, and that corn planting was delayed, but that nothing serious had occurred to winter wheat. The sales for the day reached 506,000 shares.

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There was a good deal of talk yesterday in Wall street regarding the prospects of an extra session of congress in October for the purpose of passing a financial bill. Hopes for such action were probably based upon the report that Senator Aldrich, chairman of the senate committee on finance, had invited members of the committee and other prominent senators to a conference to be held at Hot Springs, Va., for the purpose of considering provisions of a proposed financial bill to be urged at the next session of congress. Wall street entertains the hope that the observations of President Roosevelt in the west will convince him that the needs of the country outside of Wall street urgently require relief, if there is to be no obstruction to continued trade activity, and that he will be induced to call an extra session of congress for the purpose, in order that there need be no recurrence of the stringency experienced last fall and winter. Some relief may grow out of Secretary Shaw's refunding operations, there having been deposited thus far $69,000,000 bonds for conversion into United States 2s, which will be available for the new bank circulation. The subtreasury, however, continues to absorb funds, and this absorption will naturally increase in the volume of trade. The figures for the month of April, published yesterday, show that the government revenues amounted to $43,326,101, while the total expenditures amounted to $41,763,814, leaving an excess of receipts over expenditures of $1,562,287. For the fiscal year to date this surplus amounts to more than $35,000,000, due almost exclusively to customs receipts, which were increased by large imports of dutiable merchandise.

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On the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday there was a slight falling off in the total transactions, but the business was a little better distributed. Pittsburgh Coal was the most active stock, selling to the extent of 2,700 shares at 29¾ to 30, the bulk of the business being at the latter price. The preferred remained dull and unchanged at 88¾@89. River Coal common was also a little more active, selling at 10¼@10½ and closing unchanged for the day. Westinghouse Electric was less active than on the day previous, and the range of prices was narrower. In the early part of the day the stock ruled strong and rallied to 106½, later reacting to 106¾ and closing at 107, a net decline of ⅝. It is expected that today or tomorrow an official announcement will be made in relation to issuing some of the treasury stock and the terms of subscription, and there is semi-official authority for the statement that in July next the rate of dividend will be increased to a basis of 10 per cent per annum. The steel stocks were stagnant, there being no transactions in United States Steel, and less than 200 shares of Crucible common and preferred were handled. Pittsburgh Brewing preferred was firmer, advancing to 47¾. Fire Proofing common was also firmer, advancing to 28 at the close. There were no transactions in Manufacturers Light & Heat, but both Ohio Fuel Supply and Philadelphia Company were firmer and fractionally higher.

The dealings in the bank and trust company stocks were on a small scale and attended by no significant features. American Trust sold at 525, an advance of 2 per cent, while Colonial Trust sold at 649, a decline of 1 per cent. Federal National Bank was a point lower at 178, and Cosmopolitan National, Guarantee Title & Trust, and Safe Deposit each declined fractionally. Iron City Trust sold at 159, ex-rights. There were no transactions in Equitable Trust or Real Estate Trust. The bond market remained dull and nominally unchanged.

PITTSBURGH STOCKS.

Transactions on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday aggregated 7,252 shares stock, $6,000 bonds and 4 rights. Sales:

10:00 to 10:30 A. M.

100	Pgh. Coal	29¾	
100	do	29¾	
100	do	29¾	
10	Electric 2ds	108	
100	do	108	
50	do	108½	
10	do	108	
50	do	108½	
50	do	108¼	
25	do	108½	
25	do	108¼	
50	do	108¼	
10	do	108¼	
25	do	108½	
50	do	108½	
25	do	108¾	
50	do	108¾	
5	do	108¾	
50	do	108¾	
25	do	108½	
50	do	108	

10:30 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.

5	Cos. N. N.	105	
40	H. W. R. pfd	69½	
100	do	69½	
50	do	69½	
10	Colonial Tr.	649	
100	Pgh. Coal	29¾	
100	do	30	
100	do	30	
100	do	30	
100	do	30	
50	do	30	
150	do	30	
50	do	30	
50	do	30	
100	do	30	
100	do	30	
100	do	30	
25	Electric 2ds	107	
20	do	107	
30	do	107	
20	do	107	
5	Electric 2ds	107	
10	W. Glass pfd	83	
10	Fire Proof pfd	87¼	
500	Pgh. Coal	30	
25	Diamond St.	229¾	
*25	Iron City Tr.	159	
10	Cosmop. N. B.	165½	
5	G. A. S. & T.	170	
10	do	170	

12:30 to 2:00 P. M.

100	Pgh. Coal	29¾	
15	Brewing	32¾	
40	Guar. T. & T.	260½	
10	American Tr.	525	
10	Natural Gas	18¾	
15	Electric 2ds	107	
50	do	107	
40	do	107	
50	do	107	
25	do	106¾	
25	do	106¾	
1	do	107	
100	do	107	
95	do	106¾	
50	do	107	
30	Fire Proof	28	
20	Brewing pfd.	47½	
10	W. Airbrake	163½	
5	Mtge. Bank	185	
10	Electric 2ds	107	
5	Consol. Ice	10	
15	Fire Proof pfd	87	
10	do	87	
5	Pgh. Coal pfd.	88¾	

2:00 to 3:00 P. M.

100	do	47½	
30	do	47¾	
50	do	47¾	
$5000	Riv. Coal 6s	113¾	
4	Safe D. & T.	172½	
10	do	172	
50	H. W. R. pfd.	68¾	
10	do	69	
10	do	69¼	
35	Crucible pfd.	93	
5	do	93¾	
5	Federal N. B.	178	
40	do	178	
15	do	178	
20	do	178	
50	P. P. Glass	138½	
50	Riv. Coal pfd	39¾	

*Ex-rights.

Summary.

Shares.		High.	Low.	Last Sale.	Ch'ge.
15	Brewing	32¾	32¾	32¾	+¾
260	Do preferred	47¾	47½	47¾	+¾
5	Con. Ice com.	10	10	10	-2
50	Crucible Steel	18¾	18¾	18¾	+¼
105	Do preferred	88¾	88¾	88¾	0
230	Fire Proofing	28	27¾	28	+¾
315	Do preferred	37¾	37	37	0
260	H. W. R. pfd.	69¼	68½	69¾	—¼
29	Ohio F. Supply	46½	46½	46½	+½
85	Phila. Co. com.	45⅝	45	45⅝	+⅛
2700	Pgh. Coal	30	29⅝	29⅞	+⅛
128	Do preferred	89	88¾	88¾	0
50	P. P. Glass	138½	138½	138½	+¼
600	River Coal	10¼	10¼	10¼	—
75	Do preferred	39¾	39½	39¾	+¼
29	U. Switch com.	87½	87½	87½	+1½
10	W. Airbrake	163½	163½	163½	—4½
2061	W. Elec. 2ds	108¾	106¾	107	—
10	W. Glass pfd.	83	83	83	—
8	Allc. Trust	174	174	174	—1
60	Amer. Trust	527½	525	525	—2
10	Colonial Trust	649	649	649	—1
15	Cosmop. N. B.	165½	165	165½	—½
25	Diam. S. B.	229¾	229	229¾	+1
80	Federal N. B.	178	178	178	—1
25	G. A. S. & T.	170	170	170	0
50	Guar. T. & T.	260	260½	260½	—½
*25	Iron City Tr.	159	159	159	—
5	S Mort. Banking	185	185	185	0
20	Safe Dep. & T.	172½	172	172	—½
7252					
	BONDS.				
$1000	Brewing 6s	114	114	114	0
$5000	River Coal 6s	113¼	113¼	113¼	+¼
$6000					
	RIGHTS.				
4	N. Am. Sav.	.5	.5	.5	0

*Less than 10 shares. †Ex-rights.

FEATURES OF THE DAY

IN PITTSBURGH.

Bank exchanges were $9,324,484, an increase of over $3,000,000.

Stock exchange transactions reached 7,252 shares stock and $6,000 bonds.

Pittsburgh Coal common advanced to 30 on sales of 2,700 shares.

Westinghouse Electric ranged between 106¾ and 108½ on sales of 2,051 shares.

Natural Gas, Brewing and Fire Proofing stocks were fractionally higher.

American Trust rallied to 525 and Colonial reached to 649.

IN WALL STREET.

Total sales for the day 502,000 shares.

Largest share of business was done before noon.

Early activity was mainly due to manipulation.

Reading and Pennsylvania were lifted ¾ at one time.

Rise in copper gave firmness to Amalgamated.

Bonds broad; total sales (par value) $2,020,000.

Closing Bids and Offers.

STOCKS.	Par.	Bid.	Ask.
Pittsburgh Banks.			
Allegheny National	50	154½	160
*Bank of Pittsburgh	50	136	140
Columbia National	100	450	465
Diamond National	100		478
Duquesne National	100	290	
Exchange National	50	93	96
Farmers Deposit National	100		1400
Federal National	100		178½
Fourth National	100	155	165
Iron City National	50		176
Marine National	100	190	200
Peoples National	100	480	
Peoples Savings	100	610	650
Third National	100		150
West End Savings	50	140	
Western Savings & Deposit	50		120
Trust Cos.			
American Trust	100	522	525
Equitable Trust	100		181
Fidelity Title & Trust	100	500	
Guarantee Title & Trust	100	208	210
Prudential Trust	100		150
Real Estate Trust	100	218	
Safe Deposit & Trust	50	172	172½
Commonwealth Trust	100		261½
Pittsburgh Clay Banks.			
Allegheny Trust Co.	100		172
Dollar Saving Fund & Trust	100	275	281
First National	100	175	
Insurance.			
Allemannia	50		63
Monongahela	50	56	65
Natural Gas.			
Nat. Gas of West Virginia	100	145	
Railroad.			
Allegheny Valley pfd.	50	29	30
Gleeby Light			
Westinghouse 1st pfd.	50		107
Do 2d pfd.	50	106¾	
Miscellaneous.			
Crucible Steel	100	18⅝	18¾
Pittsburgh Brewing	100	83¾	83¾
Do preferred	100	3	
National Fire Proof	50	27⅞	28
Do preferred	50		37
Philadelphia Co.	50	45⅝	46
Union Storage Co.	50		35
Union Switch & Signal	50	86½	99
Westinghouse Airbrake	50	162	164

BONDS.	Exp.	Bid.	Ask.
Railroads.			
Pgh., McKees. & Conn. 1st 5s	1931	....	98½
Miscellaneous.			
St. Clair Water Co. 6s	1924	....	110

UNLISTED SECURITIES.

STOCKS.	Par.	Bid.	Ask.
Miscellaneous.			
American Window Glass	100	....	54
Do preferred	100	....	84
Consolidated Gas pfd	50	44	
Consolidated Ice pfd	50	38	38½
Monon. River Coal	50	10½	
Do preferred	50	33½	35⅞
Pittsburgh Coal	100	29⅝	30
Do preferred	50	87½	88¾
Pittsburgh Coal	100	295	300
Pittsburgh Plate Glass	100	138½	
U. S. Steel	100	35¼	35⅝

BONDS.	Exp.	Bid.	Ask.
Miscellaneous.			
Consolidated Gas 5s	1945	....	110
Monongahela L. & P. 5s	1949	....	104½
Monon. River Coal 6s	1949	112¾	113¾
Pittsburgh Coal 5s	1949	108	109
Pittsburgh Brewing 6s	1949	113¾	114

*Ex-dividend.

NOTES AND COMMENT.

It is said that the bulk of the buying of Pittsburgh Coal common yesterday was on out-of-town orders, and that it was induced by assurances that a dividend on the common stock will be paid this summer. If the prediction is persisted in long enough, it will be fulfilled, but there have been so many strong assurances to this effect within the past six or eight months that traders are inclined to be skeptical. Still, Pittsburgh Coal common is one of the best supported non-dividend paying common stocks in the market, and one of the most popular with speculators for quick turns.

Official announcement in relation to the offering of a portion of Westinghouse Electric for subscription, and the terms of the issue, will come by way of New York, where for several years past all the meetings of the board of directors have been held. The report was current in local financial circles yesterday that a meeting would be held this week, and that the amount and price of new stock subscriptions would be formally announced before the close of the week. It is also believed that in July the rate of dividend on both classes of present outstanding stock will be increased to a basis of 10 per cent per annum. If the company were to issue $4,500,000 of the $7,000,000 treasury stock now held, at say $50 a share, it would realize a premium of $1,800,000, and the total outstanding capital would be $72,500,000. To pay 10 per cent per annum on this sum would require $2,250,000, and if maintained only the rate of earnings for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1903, it would have remaining $2,250,000 to add to surplus or additional working capital.

John D. Bailey sold at auction 840 shares Chartiers Cemetery Company stock at $50 a share.

The 1903 edition of Whitney & Stephenson's well-to-do blue book is the most elaborate issue ever published. The first 192 pages are devoted to the usual directory of the financial institutions of Allegheny county and near towns, the Pittsburgh stock exchange membership, the sub-school districts of Pittsburgh and Allegheny City. The remainder of the book, consisting of 1,044 pages, embraces a complete manual of statistics, including every important railroad and industrial corporation in the United States, as well as general banking and stock exchange statistics. There are also 25 full-page maps of the leading railroad systems of the country. Taken as a whole, it is the most complete local and general manual ever published.

A small lot of Union Switch & Signal changed hands at 87¼, an advance of 1¼. The amount and price of the proposed new stock issue has not yet been announced, but the stock was firmer in sympathy with the rise in Electric.

Harbison-Walker preferred declined to 66¾, and recovered to 66¾, a net decline of ¼ for the day. The earnings of the company are reported as very satisfactory, but there is no visible interest, in the stock, and dealers are apparently doing nothing to stimulate it.

There were no transactions in Equitable Trust yesterday, and Federal National sold to the extent of only 80 shares. Last week these two stocks were the leaders of their group in point of activity.

Masten & Co. and Hill & Co. bought the bulk of the Pittsburgh Coal common that changed hands yesterday.

The trading in Westinghouse Electric was better distributed yesterday, and no large blocks changed hands. It is said that the bulk of the recent buying at the price ruling was for account of a local pool, which had advanced intimations as to the probability of an increase of stock and advance in dividend. It is also stated that though there is considerable short interest in the stock, the selling having occurred after the price dropped below 109.

Pittsburgh Oil & Gas, an unlisted stock, was quoted at 75@80.

Wabash preferred declined slightly after the announcement that the stockholders had authorized an issue of $10,000,0000 bonds, the proceeds to provide additional terminal facilities in various cities.

The announcement that Mayor Low had signed the New York Central terminal bill, and that within 30 days work would begin on the $20,000,000 improvements for which the bill was enacted, did not bull the stock.

The Pittsburgh division of the Baltimore & Ohio handled 12,819 cars on Sunday, which is said to break all records for the movement of freight on the road.

It is rumored that a new bull pool has been formed in Louisville & Nashville. The stock was moderately active and strong yesterday.

On the buying of 200 shares Brewing preferred the stock advanced nearly a dollar a share, selling at 47¾.

Only 50 shares Crucible Steel common changed hands yesterday, and the price was a fraction higher at 18¾.

The Lehigh Coal & Navigation Company has declared a dividend of 2 per cent, payable May 27.

The surplus earnings of the Shoe and Leather Company for March increased $99,192.

New York wired bullish opinions on American Can preferred and Westinghouse Electric.

At one time yesterday on the New York board 135¼ was bid for 5,000 shares Pennsylvania railroad stock. This was equivalent to 12⅝% dividend on.

London purchases of New York stock yesterday were estimated at 18,000 shares.

Among the industrials United States leather showed strength, the preferred advancing two points on reports of large increased earnings. Standard Oil interests were said to be the largest buyers.

A very conservative Wall street house wrote as follows to its Pittsburgh correspondent yesterday: "We confirmed what we said general business of the country is going to be less profitable during the coming summer and autumn. While the natural working of the market may be strong, of course it is the intention of the corporations to turn their notes into bonded securities at the right time, the principal of borrowing, however, to the extent which is now being observed, must necessarily be an easy one. We have a little money for commission and banks with a class of collateral, while paying a very handsome return in the way of interest that is not marketable or particularly attractive. Many of our corporations are paying 6 per cent and ½ per cent bonus for a six months' accommodation, which is a high rate for interest, but they are naturally unwilling to pay it. We think that the time for companies

EAST END HOME SOLD FOR $30,000

W. A. Peterson Buys Handsome Home in Liberty Avenue.

BELLEFIELD CLUB SITE

A $20,000 Sale in Stratford Avenue—Swissvale Savings and Trust Company Organized. Brewery Contract Awarded.

The property at the southwest corner of Liberty and Winebiddle avenues has been sold for $30,000, through L. A. Clark & Co. The buyer is W. A. Peterson, the contractor, who will occupy the property as a home, after June 1. The house is a new one containing 14 rooms, and standing on a lot, 85x120 feet. The entire first floor is finished in hardwood and has all modern improvements.

It is reported that the Bellefield club is about to close a deal for a site in Fifth avenue, between Neville and Clyde streets, for a consideration approximating $15,000. The lot faces 50 feet in Fifth avenue, adjoining the residence of Dr. Stewart, and has a depth of 140 feet. It is a part of the Krebs property and has been owned recently by the Fifth Avenue Land Company, which bought a plot, 110x250 feet, a few months ago. The larger part of the original plot has been taken as a site for the Allinda preparatory school building, plans for which are now in the hands of Architects Mueller & East and which will cost about $45,000. On the last site sold the Bellefield club will build a club house to cost $25,000, from plans by Architect James T. Steen. The building will be one of the finest club houses in the city, having bowling alleys, reception rooms, billiard rooms and parlors for men and women. The deal is being made by the Commonwealth Real Estate and Trust Company.

RESIDENCE BOUGHT FOR $20,000.

A. E. Siviter, the wholesale jeweler, has purchased the Harrison residence in Stratford avenue, Twentieth ward, for $20,000. The residence is a handsome center hall frame house with all conveniences and stands on a lot 50x107 feet. The deal was negotiated by A. Z. Byers & Co.

The St. Joseph's Orphan Asylum has purchased from the Redemtorist fathers two acres of ground on Troy Hill, Allegheny, for $20,500. The plot adjoins the present property and will be used for a playground.

John L. Dawes has bought from Sarah J. and C. B. Seeley a property, 50x156 feet, on the east side of Highland avenue, near Stanton avenue, Nineteenth ward, for $12,980.

The Freehold Real Estate Company sold for R. S. Packard, 358 feet in Darragh and Lathrop streets, Oakland, to John Murphy. The property surrounds Mr. Murphy's residence and gives him one of the finest residences in the city. The consideration was $25,000.

It develops that S. H. Lloyd of the East End sold the brokerage business of the Idaho and Montana apartments, situated on the north side of Penn avenue, near Roup street. The apartments were built two years ago by Samuel Feltyberger and stand on a lot 120x201 feet. Each building contains eight suites of six rooms each and the total rental is about $9,600 a year. The apartments were sold to a prominent local business man for $80,000, or $40,000 each.

NEW TRUST COMPANY.

The Swissvale Savings and Trust Company completed its temporary organization with the following officers: President, C. T. Marsh; treasurer, W. H. Rice; secretary, R. J. Walters. The company received its charter April 13 and has secured temporary quarters at No. 2015 Monongahela avenue. Its capital is $125,000, and in addition to a trust business it will have a strong real estate and mortgage department as soon as it is in full operation. Later on the company expects to erect a handsome office building for its own use.

The First German Evangelical Lutheran church is getting ready to take definite action on the matter of leasing its property at the corner of Smithfield street and Sixth avenue. Three bids are now before the building committee for consideration. The new church board will be elected May 14, and immediately after the bids will be acted upon. No intimation has been given out as to whom the bidders are, but it is understood that two of them contemplate erecting a hotel on the site if the lease is secured.

A. G. Wilson have secured the contract from Architect Otto Wolf of Philadelphia for the erection of the brewery of the Liberty Brewing Company in the Twenty-first ward. The building will be one of the best plants in this section and will cost about $100,000.

BUYING IN THE SOUTH.

The tendency of realty investors to buy extensive tracts of land in the south is on the increase in Pittsburgh, and two deals have recently been closed for large farms in Virginia. Last year a number of Pittsburghers bought fruit farms in this state and have declared well on their investments. The inquiry for good land, either for fruit or plantation purposes, has stimulated several brokers in the city to make a special feature of this line of bargains. One of these firms, Liggett & Goehring, has just issued a handsome booklet in which are listed over 250 farms in Virginia. The prices range in size from 10 to 2,500 acres and cover a wide range of cultivation.

Preliminary plans for the home for epileptics at Dixmont, Pa., are being prepared by Architect E. J. Osterling.

The First Congregational church of McKeesport has had plans prepared by Architect A. J. Lemmerer for a new building to cost $10,000.

SALES IN SWISSVALE.

Swissvale: C. T. Marsh sold for the Swissvale Improvement Company to John W. Rawson of Rankin a property at No. 7310 Schley avenue, Swissvale, for $2,400; to Walter A. Lowry a similar property at No. 7328 Schley avenue for $2,400; and to George Stanley of Rankin a property 28x110 feet at No. 7300 Schley avenue for $2,400.

Frame dwelling on Michigan avenue, Sixth ward, $1,850; to Michael Thoburn, two-story and attic frame dwelling on Woodlawn avenue, Eleventh ward, $8,500; Jacob Blum, two-story and attic frame dwelling houses on East street, Sixth ward, $2,900; John Hickel, frame addition to No. 26 Lowrie street, Thirteenth ward, $3,000, and John Moore to Thomas Thamm for a brick bake house addition to his bakery at Federal and Carroll streets, Second ward, to cost $3,200.

Building permits were issued yesterday to J. S. Van Wagoner for a stone veneer dwelling in Reynolds street, Twenty-second ward, cost $10,000; C. D. Zellner, frame addition, No. 1017 Main street, Thirty-sixth ward, $2,500; Michael Cain to Mrs. Sherman, frame, South Thirty-third and Mary streets, Twenty-fourth ward, $2,400.

Transfers Recorded.

Barrett Thos to M J McWilliams, April 29, '03, Swissvale, 26x115, Woodstock ave 500

Sterrett C E to M J Sterrett, April 1, '03, Green Tree, 25x100, Brunswick ave 1,000

Lersch H E to W S Ekey, April 20, '03, 21st wd, Fgh, 25x100, Montezuma st.. 2,700

Botkin L H to C W Heilman, July 13, '01, Duquesne, 14x64, Library st.. 1,825

Schuisler H to R S Porter, Mch 30, '03, 21st wd, Fgh, 23x100, Auburn st..... 2,850

Spalding J H to J G Gumbert, April 7, '03, Sheraden, 50x150, Elwood ave..... 400

McGaw J to R Courtney, April 7, '03, 23d wd, Fgh, 25x100, Bigelow st..... 1,500

Wallace S to H Mehalver, April 4, '03, S Fayette twp, 60x150, Campbell st.. 150

Henderson J to G Carracota, April 29, '03, Hermar twp, lot, 55x110, Public road 325

Chiaseglia Land Co to D G Donovan, Aug 1, '02, Fort Vue, 25x110, Monongahela ave 800

Donovan D G to G W Carlson, April 2, '03, Fort Vue, 20x110, Monongahela ave 950

Coursin B B to F H Coursin, Feb 16, '03, 16th wd, McKpt, ¼ interest 8 acres.. Brinker W M to J Bigor, Nov 29, '02, Wilkins twp, 32x52, 1st st 1,676

Logan S Jr to H J Zametzky, Feb 28, '03, 11th wd, Fgh, 22x74, Center ave.. 4,000

King J R to C F Shaffer, Mch 16, '03, Oakmont, 25x149, Sixth st 1,900

Lappan J to J B Gloekler, April 29, '03, 19th wd, Fgh, 22x100, Penn ave..... 12,000

Schaffer A to W Boyd, April 24, '03, 15th wd, Ally, 80x100, Perrysville ave.

McEachran T J to M E Rush, April 1, '03, Chartiers twp, lot, 50x213..... 2,000

Perlik J to W Bush, April 25, '03, 13th wd, Ally, 25x84, Sarah st 2,250

Hamilton T J to J Y Murphy, April 16, '03, 11th wd, Fgh, 23 lots..... 12,750

Barthberger C M to A Milligan, April 13, '03, 20th wd, Fgh, 66x100, Fifty-first st. 7,600

Gummert T M to M A Goldsmith, April 24, '03, Tarentum, 56x116, E Sixth st.. 7,200

Hubley S D to M Schriner, April 30, '03, 3d wd, Ally, 24x70, Strawberry alley.. 1,100

Borland M H to Jno Francies, Mch 26, '03, 4th wd, Ally, 21x110, Robinson st. 5,250

Ommert J to D S Lissett, April 28, '03, 6th wd, Ally, 24x129, Franklin st..... 10,000

Snyder St to Jno Price, Mch 21, '03, Scott twp, 40 acres..... $1,18

Douglass S W to B Dagney, Jan 31, '03, 1st wd, Ally, 21x78, Craig st..... 6,000

Sheers A F to A Kimmerling, Mch 11, '03, Millvale, 24x50, Fourteen ave.....

Lennox A J to H J McBride, April 11, '03, Bellevue, 40x115, Sprague ave... 10,500

Zahniser W J to S G Lennox, April 15, '03, Millvale, 40x115, Williams st.... 3,500

Hay R H to H J Lennox, Mch 27, '03, Bellevue, 40x115, Sprague ave..... 2,000

Schaib F to J W Taylor, April 22, '03, 17th wd, Fgh, 20x80, Hatfield ave.....

Alcorn T E to J F Hickey, April 29, '03, 21st wd, Fgh, 20x186, Kelly st..... 2,200

Dicken J C to C L Roch, April 2, '03, 18th wd, Fgh, 32x85, Morningside ave.

Portman E F to B H McConkey, Mch 27, '03, Chartiers twp, 226x120, Grant st..... 1,200

McConkey R H to Chas Becker, April 1, '03, Chartiers twp, 226x120, Grant st.. 1,450

O'Donnell P to E F Portman, Mch 12, '03, Chartiers twp, 226x120, Grant st.. 1,100

Clatley H W to C B Higley, April 23, '03, Carnegie, 1 lot, Garfield ave..... 2,250

Brighton B & L A to A S Adams, Mch 30, '03, 14th wd, Fgh, 36x100, Oakland ave .....

Young C A to A R Miller, Mch 14, '03, 11th wd, Fgh, 22x84, Overhill st..... 4,050

Stein E M to J Pitler, Mch 4, '03, 11th wd, Fgh, 22x90, Colwell st..... 4,800

Penne R T F to H L Lubliniz, Nov 20, '02, Ingram, 50x100, Ingram ave..... 665

Lubliniz R to A Hamburger, April 3, '03, Ingram, 50x100, Sampson st..... 665

Chenoweth A to M F Haney, April 8, '03, 22d wd, Fgh, 25x125, Johnston ave. 700

Galbraith W M to J Goebig, April 1, '03, Carnegie, 24x75, Railroad ave..... 3,000

Kuhners F T to H L Connolly, Jan 27, '02, Emsworth, 80x83, Beaver road.... 2,000

Combs C K to G W Leech, Dec 3, '02, 9th wd, McKpt, 25x160, Harrison ave..

Gauerman Wm to Wm A Knerr, April 23, '03, 20th wd, Fgh, 22x100, Bigelow blvd. 800

Penman A E to O D Goodwin, Mch 20, '03, Duquesne, 26x66, Hidge st..... 800

Simmons K P to W P Simmons, April 1, '03, Emsworth, 66x100, Fourth st.. 2,000

McCallum A to L R Tiers, April 20, '03, Penn twp, 4 acres 1,500

Warren J G to J A Bauer, Jan 2, '03, Verona, 32x138, Penn ave..... 1,750

Stauffer C P to L R Tiers, April 15, '03, Oakmont, 25x140, Sixth st..... 1,000

DAMAGED BY COLD.

Government Crop Report Reflects Unfavorable Effect of Unseaonable Weather.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—The weather bureau's weekly crop bulletin is as follows:

The week ending May 4 was unseasonably cool over much the greater part of the country, the minimum temperatures on April 30 and May 1 and 2 being the lowest recorded in the last decade of April and the first decade of May for the past 30 years.

Early planted corn was extensively killed in Missouri, Kansas, Oklahoma and Texas and the crop has suffered from cold weather throughout the southern states. Preparations for planting have progressed favorably in the Ohio valley and middle Atlantic states, but little progress has been made in the states of the upper Missouri valley and lake region. The present season to date has been very unfavorable for corn.

Winter wheat appears to have escaped material injury over the western portion of the winter wheat belt, and the general outlook for this crop continues very promising. Very little seeding of spring wheat could be done over the northern portion of the spring wheat region during the past week.

Oats sustained injury from cold in the states of the Missouri valley, and slow growth is generally reported in the central Mississippi and Ohio valleys. Decreased acreage is reported from Illinois and Indiana, and uneven stands in Ohio, where unfinished seeding is progressing slowly.

Nearly all fruits have suffered further damage from frosts and low temperatures, apples having apparently escaped with the least injury.

The Banks and the Treasury.

NEW YORK, May 5.—(Special.)—In redemption of checks drawn by depositors of gold at the San Francisco and Seattle assay offices today's statement will show that the subtreasury paid out yesterday $28,135. Of this amount $26,958 had been deposited at San Francisco and $2,177 at Seattle. Total payment for government by New York banks for the day $2,679,000. Payment by banks to government $2,922,000. Balances on the day's transactions $400,000, paid by banks to government.

Turpentine and Rosin.

WILMINGTON, N. C., May 5.—Spirits turpentine, nothing doing. Rosin, nothing doing. Crude turpentine quiet at $2 00@2 20 and $5 50. Tar firm at $1 65.

SAVANNAH, GA., May 5.—Turpentine firm at 46c. Rosin firm. Quote: A, B, C, D, $2 70; G, $3 85; H, $3 25; I, $3 85; K, $3 00; M, $3 10; N, $3 15; W G, $3 25; W W, $3 35.

CHARLESTON, S. C., May 5.—Turpentine nominal at 44c. Rosin nominal.

FLOUR QUOTATIONS TAKE HIGHER RANGE

Ear and Shelled Corn Higher, While Oats Decline—Egg Market Easier.

As was expected the advanced prices asked at mills for flour have caused local quotations to move forward, and today rolling figures are above those quoted yesterday morning. The mill advance amounted to 10 cents a barrel, which has been followed only in part by Pittsburgh wholesalers, who have put prices on fancy spring patent up 5 cents, making the range now $4 40@4 45. The cause assigned for the higher milling price is the firmness of cash wheat, which is rolling stronger, and millers claim to have been combating a profitless situation before this additional burden of higher wheat was placed upon them. In all other lines groceries remain unchanged, with trade active and quotations steady.

Hay is firm, and No. 1 timothy sold yesterday as high as $18 50, to which point the range of quotations is now advanced. Corn is strong and both ear and shelled are selling at advanced figures. Oats are easy, and the range is lower, while millfeed is rather easy and a wider range of prices is given to cover both grades. Millfeed is steady at former figures.

There is an active fruit and produce market, with quotations remarkably well sustained. Seventeen cars of strawberries arrived on Monday, which were quickly cleaned up, while 14 more cams in yesterday, and the best fruit sold readily, some concessions in price being made on berries which were not in most desirable condition. String beans are holding their own strongly, arriving in good condition and selling freely. Peas are not altogether satisfactory and are slow, with prices lower. Florida tomatoes are in active demand for fancy stock, with lower grades not wanted.

Butter is just about steady since the decline of Monday, while cheese is weak and likely to suffer another reduction in price soon. The egg market is easier, with prices slightly lower. Supplies are improved and the demand for storage is lessening.

The only change in poultry is a lower quotation for live turkeys. Chickens are steady as quoted.

HAY, GRAIN AND FEED.

Receipts bulletined: Pennsylvania lines, 48 cars hay, 1 car oats, 1 car corn and oats, 3 cars straw; B. & O., 2 cars corn, 2 Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad, 3 cars hay; Baltimore & Ohio railroad, 8 cars hay; total receipts, 69 cars.

Hay, No. 1 timothy ..$18.00@18.50
do No. 2 ..$16.00@17.00
No. 1 clover mixed ..$12.00@12.50
do mix ..$15.00@16.00
Loose from wagon ..$16.00@18.00
Straw, oat ..$8.50@9.00
do wheat ..$8.50@9.00
do rye ..$9.50@10.50
Corn, No. 2 yellow shelled ..59@51c
do high mixed ..49@50c
do No. 2 mixed ..48@49c
Corn, No. 2 yellow ear ..51@52c
do high mix. ..49@50c
Rye, No. 2 ..70c
Oats, No. 2 white ..38@39½c
do No. 3 ..37@38½c
do No. 2 white ..41@41½c
White middlings, No. 2, ton ..$18.00@18.50
do brown ..$18.50@17.00
Bran ..$17.00@17.50
Wheat, No. 2 red ..70@71c

GROCERIES.

Flour, fancy spring patent ..$4.40@4.45
do fancy winter ..$3.75@3.80
do straight winter ..$3.40@3.60
do bakers' spring ..$3.40@3.60
do rye ..$3.45@3.60
do graham ..$4.60@4.80
Cornmeal, bbl ..$4.50
do 10-lb cotton bags ..18@20c
Rolled oats, bbl ..$4.75
do parls ..$2.50@2.75
do hegs ..$2.50
Coffee, roasted, bulk, Rio ..9¼@12c
do Santos ..12½@23½c
do Maracaibo ..17@17½c
do Jamaica ..19@19½c
do standard pkgs ..9.55c
do high grade pkgs ..14.30@16.30c
Molasses, fancy refined ..35@37c
do choice ..30@33c
do open ket ..40@45c
Syrup, fancy sugar ..28@30c
do sugar cane ..24@26c
do prime ..24@26c
do 2½-lb cans, do fancy ..$1.60@1.75
do fancy Japan ..5½@6½c
do Choice Carolina ..5@6½c
Salt, No. 1, bbl ..$1.00
do No. 1 extra ..$1.10
do grain, sack ..80c
do pocket ..$1.05@1.05
do dairy ..$1.35

CANNED GOODS.

Peaches, std pie ..80@85c
do gls, gal ..$2.50@3.00
do California, Lc, C ..$1.80@2.30
do Maryland ..$1.15@1.65
do California ..$1.80@2.00
Corn, fancy ..$1.25@1.45
do std ..90c@$1.10
Cherries, Cal, std ..$2.20@2.25
Lima beans ..$1.25@1.40
do soaked ..75@85c
String beans ..95@90c
String beans, cut, fancy ..$1.25@1.75
Peas, marrowfat ..95c@$1.05
do early June ..$1.00@1.20
do soaked ..85@65c
Apples, N. Y. ..$2.20@2.25
Pineapples ..$2.20@2.60
Plums, damson ..$1.60
do California ..$1.40

DRIED FRUITS.

Apricots, evap., bags ..7½@11c
do 25-lb bxs ..8¼@11½c
Apples, bulk ..6¾@7½c
do 1-lb cartons ..7½@8½c
Peaches, unpeeled ..6@7½c
do Peaberry ..17@17½c
do Golden Rio ..13½@14c
do Caracol ..19@19½c
do standard pkgs ..9.55c
do high grade pkgs ..14.30@16.30c
Molasses, fancy refined ..35@37c
do choice ..30@33c
do open ket ..40@45c
Syrup, fancy sugar ..28@30c
do sugar cane ..24@26c
do prime ..24@26c
do 2½-lb cans, do fancy ..$1.60@1.75
do fancy Japan ..5½@6½c
do Choice Carolina ..5@6½c
Salt, No. 1, bbl ..$1.00
do No. 1 extra ..$1.10
do grain, sack ..80c
do pocket ..$1.05@1.05
do dairy ..$1.35

CANNED GOODS.

Raspberries ..85@95c
Gooseberries ..95c@$1.00
Blackberries, standard ..80@85c
do fancy ..$1.20@1.30
do gal ..$2.50@3.00
Succotash, 1-lb ..65c@$1.40
Baked beans, cans, tomato ..80c@$1.40
Salmon, Red ..$2.@$2.05
Canned beef, $2.2@2.75
Corned and roast beef, 2-lb cans ..$2.45@2.50
do 1-lb cans ..$1.45@1.50
Mackerel, broiled ..$1.20@2.50
Sardines, domestic, ½s ..$3.50@3.65
do mustards, ½s ..$2.75
do French ..$2.00@15.75
Oysters, 1-lb full wgt ..85c@$1.25
do 1-lb lunch flat cans ..$1.10

DRIED FRUITS.

Raisins, Muscatel, 2 and 4 crown ..7@8c
60-lb boxes ..7@8c
do Cluster, Val ..9¾@10c
do Cal Val ..7½@
Currants, cleaned, bulk ..9½@10c
do Neptune pkgs ..6½@6¾c
Prunes ..5½@10½c

SEEDS.

Alfalfa ..$3.50@9.00
Millet ..$1.45@1.70
Grass, Hungarian ..90c@$1.10
do lawn, lb ..1½@2c
do blue, 15-lb bu ..$1.50@1.75
do white, 60-lb bu ..$1.10@2.00
Timothy ..$1.60@1.75

SALT FISH.

Mackerel, No. 1 mess, bbl ..$15.00
do half bbls ..$8.00
Mackerel, No. 2, bbls ..$23.00
do half bbls ..$12.00

PRODUCE.

Potatoes, choice, carlots, bu ..55@60c
do fancy, carlots ..58@60c
do on track ..90@95c
do ex-store ..60@70c
do new, bbl ..$2.50@3.50
do new, bu ..$1.50@2.00
do Bermuda, bbl ..$1.50@1.75
do Bermuda, bu ..$1.50@1.75
Shallots ..25@30c
Cucumbers, hothouse ..$1.00@1.25
Cabbage, Penn, ton ..$12.00@15.00
do bbl ..$1.00@1.25
do new ..
Onions, bbl ..$1.75@2.00
do crate ..$1.00
Beets, doz ..30@40c
do bbl ..$1.50@1.75
Parsley, doz ..50@60c
Radishes, doz ..25@30c
Spinach, bu ..75@90c
Celery, Florida, crate ..$2.00@2.50
Kale, bbl ..$1.00

DOMESTIC FRUITS.

Apples, fancy, bbl ..$2.50@3.50
do choice ..$2.00@2.50
do California, boxes ..$1.00@1.50

TROPICAL FRUITS.

Lemons, Messina ..$3.00@3.50
do fancy ..$3.50@4.00
Oranges, California, navel ..$2.50@3.00
do Florida ..$5.00@6.00
do Cal, Mediterranean seedlings ..$2.50@2.75
Cocoanuts, bags ..$2.75@3.25
Bananas, firsts ..$1.75@2.25
do seconds ..$1.25@1.50
Grape fruit, Florida ..$10.00@12.00
do Califor, crate ..$4.50@5.00
Pineapples, crate ..$3.00@3.50

GAME.

Squabs, doz ..$4.50
Partridges, pair ..$2.25
Mallards ..$2.00
Teals, pair ..$1.00
Canvas-backs ..
Squirrels, pair ..40c
Redheads, pair ..$2.00
Cons, mixed, pair ..50c
Pintail ducks, pair ..$2.50
Brants, pair ..$1.00
Rabbits, pair ..25c
Black ducks, pair ..$2.50
do hucks ..$2.00@3.00

POULTRY.

Live hens, lb ..11c
Roosters ..7c
Turkeys ..10@11c
Geese ..9@10c
Ducks ..12@13c
Dressed hens ..17@18c
Roasters ..14c
Broilers ..20@22c
Pigeons, pair ..25c
Cocoanuts, lb ..5c
L. I. ducks ..
New spring chicks ..45@50c

BUTTER, EGGS AND CHEESE.

Butter, prints ..23@23½c
do tubs ..22@22½c
do Ohio-Pa. creamery ..20@22½c
do dairy ..16@17c
do country roll ..14@15c
Cheese, N. Y. full cream ..13½@14c
do Ohio ..13@13½c
do ¾ crm ..12@12½c
Cheese, Ohio Swiss, tubs ..14@14½c
do Wis. Swiss, tubs ..12@13½c
do limburger ..13@13½c
Eggs at mark ..12½@13c
do candled ..14@16½c

NUTS.

Almonds, lb ..15@18c
Filberts, lb ..11@12c
Walnuts, Eng-lish, lb ..12@14c
Pecans, lb ..12@13c
Brazil nuts, lb ..10@11c
Mixed nuts, lb ..11@12c
Peanuts, raw ..$1.25
do choice ..

HONEY.

White comb ..15@16c
Buckwheat ..13@14c
N. Y. white clover ..16½@17c

PROVISIONS.

Hams, large, 18 lbs and up ..13½c
do average 16 to 18 lbs ..13½c
do small, 10 to 14 lbs ..13¾c
do rough, cured ..12½c
do sugar cured, 10 lbs ..14c
do boneless ..14c
Bellies, 10 to 12 lbs ..12½c
do California ..10¼c
Shoulders, N. Y. cured ..10¼c
do skinned ..11¼c
Breakfast bacon, rib, 8 to 10 lbs ..13½c
do 10 to 12 lbs ..12½c
do back strips ..12½c
Dry salt sides, extra ..10½c
Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs ..11½c
do 16 to 20 lbs ..12c
do under 16 lbs ..12c
Lard, pure, tierces ..10¼c

BREAKFAST BACON.

Breakfast bacon, cleara, 8 to 10 lbs ..14c
do 10 to 12 lbs ..12½c
do back strips ..12½c
Dry salt sides, extra ..10½c
Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs ..11½c
do 16 to 20 lbs ..12c
do under 16 lbs ..12c
Lard, pure, tierces ..10¼c

HIDES.

No. 1 green steer, hvy ..7½c
do light, under 60 lbs and cows, all weights ..6½c
No. 1 green bulls ..6c
Calfskins, No. 1 ..9c
do No. 2 ..8c
Green salt or cured, No. 1 steers, over 60 lbs ..8½c
do No. 2 ..7½c
Cows and light steers ..7½c
Calfskins, No. 1 ..10½c
do No. 2 ..9c

THE LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CENTRAL STOCK YARDS.

PITTSBURG, Tuesday, May 5, 1903.

Cattle—Receipts fair; cars on sale; market steady and prices 10c lower; choice, 1,400 to 1,500 lbs, $5 30@5 45; prime, 1,200 to 1,300 lbs, $5 10@5 25; good, 1,000 to 1,200 lbs, $4 90@5 05; tidy butchers' steers, 900 to 1,100 lbs, $4 10@4 75; heifers, 700 to 1,100 lbs, $3 50@4 75; bulls, $2 00@4 50; fresh cows and springers, $29 00@65 00.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts fair, 25 loads on sale; market steady on best; sheep and lambs slow on other grades; prime wethers, 65 to 100 lbs, $5 25@5 40; good mixed, $5 10@5 25; fair mixed, 75 to 80 lbs, $4 60@4 80; culls and common, $2 00@4 00; choice lambs, 85 to 90 lbs, $6 25@6 40; fair to good, 85 to 90 lbs, $5 75@6 00; fair to good handy weight lambs, 65 to 80 lbs, $5 50@5 75; veal calves, $6 00@6 25; heavy and thin, $4 00@5 00.

Hogs—Light double decks; market active and higher; prime heavy hogs, 150@ 175 lbs, $6 00@6 05; heavy Yorkers, $7 95; light Yorkers and pigs, $7 00; roughs, $5 00@5 60.

(By Associated Press to The Gazette.)

NEW YORK, May 5.—Beeves—Receipts, 17 head, mainly consigned direct; no sales reported; dressed beef steady; city dressed native sides, extreme range, 7@9½c a pound; general sales, 8@8½c; extreme range of country dressed sides, 6@7½c a pound; refrigerator beef quoted at 5½c a pound; exports today, beef, estimated, 1,000 head; cattle, 1,000 head; sheep and lambs, 4,000 head; calves, 1,000 head; receipts of 42 cars—one of contract grade—made a total for the three points of 168 cars, against 172 cars last week and 151 cars a year ago.

Increased country offerings and a marked improvement in grading caused a lower opening in cows, but there was strength later in sympathy with wheat and the close showed a gain. Offerings were small, and trade was quiet a large scale. Local receipts were 225 cars, with 35 of contract grade.

Calfs were strong on buying by local traders on account of the unfavorable weather. There was some early selling on increased receipts and better grade, but the market soon strengthened in sympathy with other grades and closed at a gain of 50c@$1 over last week.

Providence opened steady on a stronger hog market, but the early gain was soon lost on liquidation and the market was easy throughout the remainder of the session. Trading was light and without feature.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 45 cars, corn, 240 cars; oats, 75 cars; hogs, 23,000 head.

The leading futures, reported by John D. Armstrong & Co., members of the Chicago board of trade, No. 205 Sixth street, are as follows:

Articles	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yesterday Close.
WHEAT					
No. 2					
May	78¾	78¾	78¼	78¾	77¾
July	77¾	77¾	77¼	77¾	77¾
Sept	76½	76½	76	76½	76½
CORN					
No. 2					
May	45¾	46	45¾	45¾	45¾
July	44¾	45¼	44¾	45	44¾
Sept					
OATS					
No. 2					
May	32¾	33⅛	32¾	33⅛	32¾
July	31	31⅛	30¾	31⅛	31
Sept	29¾	29¾	29½	29¾	29¾
MESS PORK					
May	18 75	18 80	18 50	18 50	18 60
July	17 30	17 30	17 00	17 05	17 10
Sept	16 75	16 75	16 50	16 62½	16 65
LARD					
May	9 65	9 65	9 60	9 60	9 70
July	9 25	9 25	9 20	9 20	9 25
Sept	9 22½	9 22½	9 05	9 05	9 15
SHORT RIBS					
May	9 37½	9 37½	9 32½	9 32½	9 37½
July	9 45	9 45	9 37½	9 37½	9 45
Sept	9 37½	9 37½	9 27½	9 27½	9 37½

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour steady; No. 2 spring wheat, 78@79c; No. 3, 71@72c; No. 2 red, 78½@78¾c; No. 3, 74@76c; No. 2 corn, 44½c; No. 2 yellow, 45c; No. 2 white, 45½c; No. 3 white, 42@44½c; No. 2 oats, 30½c; No. 3 white, 32@34½c; No. 2 rye, 70c; good feeding barley, 45@48c; fair to choice malting, 50@55c; No. 1 flaxseed, $1 00; No. 1 northwestern, $1 12; prime timothy seed, $3 40; mess pork, per barrel, $18 50@18 60; lard, per 100 lbs, $9 05; short rib sides (loose), $9 15@9 37½; dry salted shoulders (boxed), 8½@8¾c; short clear sides (boxed), 9@9 12½c; whisky, basis of high wines, $1 20; clover, contract grade, $12 50.

Articles.	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls	17,500	1,600
Wheat, bu	10,000	42,700
Corn, bu	271,400	265,300
Oats, bu	251,600	
Rye, bu	2,400	4,400
Barley, bu	37,000	

NEW YORK, May 5.—Flour—Receipts, 8,-238 bbls; exports, 7,200 bbls; firmly held $3 cost and freight for Liverpool. Rye flour steady. Rye dull; No. 2 nominal, 68½c c i f New York; No. 2 western, 69½c f o b afloat. Corn—Spot, receipts, 153,375 bu; exports, 45,-469 bu; spot steady; No. 2 red, 62½c elevator and 63½c f o b afloat; No. 2 northern, Duluth, 69½c f o b afloat; No. 2 hard, Manitoba, 69½c f o b afloat. Options were dull and easy after opening prices, because of favorable weather and easier cables, but developed activity and strength, influenced by covering from shorts, and finished steady near inside figures of opening, with advancing cables at St. Louis. Active covering during the forenoon at St. Louis, the reported big export sale at St. Louis, the reported big export sale at St. Louis, the reported big export sale

INCOME TAX IS A BURDEN TO MANY MEN IN ENGLAND

Middle-Class Families Are Made to Suffer for Benefit of the Wealthy.

NEW BUDGET DISCUSSED

Mr. Richie's First Estimates Are Only Popular With Those Whose Income Is Drawn from Permanent Investments.

By ARNOLD WHITE.

(Special Correspondence to The Gazette.)

LONDON, April 28.—Mr. Ritchie's first budget is a popular performance with the easy classes. The income tax payers of Britain have groaned and grumbled like camels under their heavy burden until their importunity has prevailed at the treasury. The income tax falls most heavily upon brain workers. It complies with none of the conditions laid down in Adam Smith's four maxims. These have been briefly described as the maxims of equality, certainty, convenience and economy.

The income tax is not equal, because a man with a family who is earning a precarious income, which ceases when his health breaks down, is made to contribute as much as a man who draws his income from investments. The tax is not certain because it is evaded. The honest pay for the dishonest. One of the most fruitful modes of evasion in England is to make no return of income, the tax being assessed by the commissioners. The chancellor of the exchequer gave an interesting example of the manner in which the tax is evaded by the dishonest. The commissioner had assessed a certain firm at £5,000. The commissioners proposed to raise it to £7,000 on being told that the firm in question was making large profits. "Five thousand pounds?" said their adviser, "put it up to £50,000." The commissioners acted on this advice and the firm paid it. Thus the just suffer for the unjust. Thirdly, the tax is not convenient, because it is assessed in one lump.

BOER WAR PREVENTED HOLIDAYS.

Many middle class families have been prevented from taking their usual summer holiday because the money required for a trip to the seaside has been absorbed by the Boer war. Lastly, the tax is not economical, because of the enormous machinery that is required for its collection and the poundage that is paid to collectors amounts to a very large sum.

There was one moment in the course of Mr. Ritchie's speech which had a dramatic turn. It was new to the house of commons to hear a chancellor call to his followers as in a Dutch auction. "Will you take a penny off," said Mr. Ritchie, "or would you like 2d? Would you like 3d? Well, I propose to take off 4d." (Loud cheers.) Mr. Ritchie, the income tax payer, paid the chancellor of the exchequer on his official salary £312 this year, and by his reduction of 4d he has saved himself £84 next year. This is an indication of the hardship of the income tax.

The removal of the corn duty, like its imposition, is, of course, inspired by political reasons. Canada dislikes this feature in the budget, but the interests of the British public require the removal of the duty on food. The gross expenditure of Great Britain today is close upon £144,000,000. This sum represents a smaller burden per head than our forefathers carried at the end of the Peninsular war. With the exception of the income tax payers the burden of taxation is not heavy. If a man does not drink spirits or smoke tobacco he contributes little to the revenue. What the city thought of Mr. Ritchie's budget is shown by the rise in consols immediately after the provisions with regard to the reduction of the income tax and the increase of the sinking fund were known.

IN COMPETENT HANDS.

During the past week I have been making an interesting tour round the great naval dockyards, and have received much interesting information from the higher officials. The lessons of the Boer war have sunk more deeply into the minds of our naval administrators than of those responsible for the war department. The control of the dockyards today is in the hands of men who are thoroughly alive to their responsibilities, and who are fully competent for the discharge of their duties. A heritage of muddling and inefficiency from the time of the Crimean war downward is the difficulty with which they are contending, but it is satisfactory in these days of almost universal criticism of public servants to be able to record from personal knowledge the excellent work which has been begun during the last few months by the admirals who have recently become responsible for the superintendence of the royal dockyards. As Philadelphia is one of the largest shipbuilding centers in the world, the readers of The Gazette may like to hear something about our English dockyards.

It is very generally believed that the arsenals of Great Britain are inefficiently administered. Indeed, a great admiral said to a naval officer a few weeks ago: "The dockyards are rotten." Whether this remark was meant in joke or in earnest, public opinion confirms the great admiral's dictum as a question beyond cavil and dispute. The dockyards of Britain are expensive to create and costly to maintain.

ADMINISTRATION INEFFICIENT.

Since 1895 no less than £4,175,000 was authorized to be expended in Devonport alone. Of all the dockyards Portsmouth has the worst name; yet the admiral superintendent at Portsmouth has only one rival for smartness as a dockyard administrator, namely, his own brother, at Devonport. Admiral Craigie at Chatham is notoriously a good administrator. And yet English dockyard administration, taken in the lump, is a synonym for idleness, malingering and cheating the taxpayer.

The following are recent instances of inefficient administration, especially in regard to the construction of new vessels, which took place before the new regime was inaugurated a few months ago. Under the predecessor of the present admiral superintendent of Portsmouth dockyard, the work dragged, delay accumulated and scandals were rife. Owing to this state of affairs the admiralty had to withdraw from the yard the order for the new battleship King Edward VII. Its construction was arranged for at Devonport. At Portsmouth the Suffolk has been in hand an unconscionable time. The Sparviate was under construction for five years; she was obsolete when she hoisted the white ensign for the first time; and she has since experienced a series of breakdowns. The Pandora was over three and one-half years building. At one time a furious gust of energy compelled men to work day and night at a job that a little later was abandoned or postponed. Essential work was neglected; unnecessary work performed.

BRIEF NEWS BY CABLE.

STOCKHOLM.—At a joint session of both houses of the Riksdag it was decided by 192 to 181 votes to retain the duty on maize which the government proposed to abolish.

SOUTHAMPTON.—The steamer Marquette from London May 4 for New York and the steamer Preussen from Hamburg for the far east collided during a fog in the channel. Both steamers put into this port for repairs.

LONDON.—The Rev. William Morrison of Lexington, Va., a member of the American Presbyterian mission, who is here on his way home after six years' work along the Kasai river, about 1,200 miles in the interior of the Congo state, fully confirms the stories of the abuses in the Congo administration.

BERLIN.—A watchmaker named Fritz has sold a mechanical time fuse for projectiles to the Krupp company for $60,000 and a royalty of 25 cents for each device used. The Schneiders of France have acquired the rights for Latin countries and Vickers Sons & Maxim have secured the rights for the United States and Great Britain.

GREAT BRITAN READY TO REDUCE HER NAVY

Would Agree With Other Powers of Europe to Diminish Sea Forces.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

ROME, May 5.—The under secretary of state said today in the chamber of deputies that Mr. Balfour of the British government recently declared that Great Britain was ready to diminish her sea force if the other powers agreed to follow the same course, but Great Britain has not yet definitely taken the initiative in the matter, and consequently Italy had taken no action.

The under secretary of state added that if Great Britain proposed to take a definite step in the direction indicated, Italy would consider it to be inopportune on the ground that while the other powers had recently been increasing the strength of their navies, Italy had reduced her fleet and also because of Italy's position requiring the defense of distant possessions, and in view of the great number of Italians in foreign countries.

British Lose Fighting Mad Mullah.

ADEN, ARABIA, May 5.—It is rumored that the Mad Mullah recently attacked a British column at Galadi, Somaliland, and was repulsed with heavy loss. The British also suffered considerable loss.

DENOUNCED REMOVAL OF DUTY ON GRAIN

LONDON, May 5.—The opposition to the proposal of the chancellor of the exchequer, Mr. Ritchie, to abolish the duty on grain, which has been voiced by numerous chambers of agriculture, crystallized in a meeting of the associated chambers of agriculture in London today. The assemblage adopted a resolution strongly condemning the proposed action. It is not believed the protest will have any effect.

CHINESE LEPER ESCAPES GUARD

ST. LOUIS, May 5.—Dong Gong, the Chinese leper who has been in close confinement at quarantine, about two miles below Jefferson barracks, for the past year and a half, has escaped. Dong Gong's condition has not materially changed since his ostracism.

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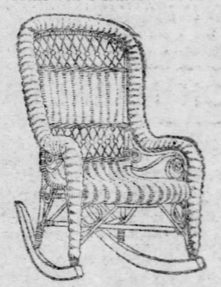

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Today we put on sale a superb gathering of women's fine dress skirts. Careful shoppers will be quick to appreciate the price asked—only $5.98. These skirts always sold for $8.50—do sell for a half more in other stores, in FIT, hang and general appearance they're absolutely unexcelled. Come in black and blue etamine only; prettily trimmed, plain or braided as you like. If you desire something real stylish and out of the ordinary, and that, too, at a price which permits a Radical saving, don't hesitate, but take advantage of this offer at once— $5.98

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For Connellsville and Uniontown, 5:40, 8:25 a. m., 12:45 and 4:25 p. m. week days.
For West Newton and Greensburg, 10:05 a. m. and 4:25 p. m. week days. For Derry, 10:05 a. m. and 4:25 p. m. week days.
For Braddock, 6:25, 7:50, 8:30, 9:35, 10:35 a. m., 12:05, 1:05, 2:05, 3:35, 4:30, 5:05, 6:20, 7:35, 9:30 and 11:59 p. m. week days. Sundays, 7:00, 9:35 a. m., 1:00, 5:00 and 9:40 p. m.
FROM ALLEGHENY CITY.
For Butler, 6:25, 8:50, 10:35 a. m., 2:05 and 6:10 p. m. week days. Sundays, 7:00 a. m., 9:33 p. m.
The Pittsburgh Baggage Express Company will call for and check baggage from hotels and residences. Time Cards and full information can be obtained at the Ticket Offices, No. 110 Fifth Avenue, corner Fourth avenue and Try streets and Union Station.
W. W. ATTERBURY, General Manager. J. R. WOOD, Gen'l Pass'r Agent.

BALTIMORE & OHIO RAILROAD.
(Eastern Standard Time.)
Leave Station, Smithfield and Water Sts.
LINES EAST. Depart. Arrive.
Cumberland Accom ... * 4:30 am * 9:15 pm
Connellsv. & Mt. Pleas. ... * 6:30 am * 3:55 pm
Wash., Balt. & N. York ... * 8:00 am * 7:35 pm
Conn'v., Un'n. & Fairm't ... * 9:00 am * 4:15 pm
Cumb., Wash. & Balt ... * 9:00 am * 5:00 pm
West Newton Accom ... 10:00 am * 5:00 pm
Conn'v., Un'n, Morgant'n ... * 1:30 pm * 10:00 am
Connellsv. & Mt. Pleas't ... * 1:30 pm * 8:05 pm
Connellsville Accom ... * 4:00 pm * 8:05 pm
Morgantown, Clarksburg and Western ... * 5:00 pm 12:50 pm
Philadelphia and New York Duquesne Limi. ... * 6:30 pm * 9:15 am
Wash., Balt. & Phila. ... * 9:00 pm * 7:00 am
LINES WEST VIA WHEELING.
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheel. Ac. ... * 8:30 am * 10:00 am
Col., Chi. & St. L. Exp. ... * 8:00 am * 7:45 am
Whg., Kanaw. & Col. Ac. ... * 1:00 pm * 4:00 pm
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheel'g ... * 4:30 pm * 6:00 pm
Col., Chi. & St. L. Exp. ... * 7:00 pm * 7:45 pm
Whg., Col. & Chi. Exp. ... 11:50 pm
LINES WEST VIA AKRON.
Cleve., Akron & Youngst. ... * 7:00 am * 8:15 pm
Chicago & Cleveland Limited ... * 8:15 pm * 7:00 am
(Leave P. & W. Station, Allegheny.)
Butler ... * 7:35 am * 7:50 am
Butler, Foxburg ... * 4:45 pm * 5:00 pm
Butler, Greenville & Erie ... * 7:55 am * 7:50 pm
Butler ... * 10:45 am * 7:50 pm
Butler, Greenville & Erie ... * 1:15 pm * 1:00 pm
Ellwood City ... * 1:15 pm * 6:20 pm
Butler, Clarion, Greenv. ... * 2:15 pm * 10:40 am
Ellwood, N. Cast., Butler ... * 5:05 pm * 5:20 pm
Butler ... * 4:05 pm * 5:20 pm
Butler ... * 11:30 pm * 7:20 pm
*Daily. †Daily, except Sunday. ‡Saturday only.

PITTSBURGH & LAKE ERIE R. R.
CLEVELAND SHORT LINE.
Schedule in effect November 25, 1902.
Central Time. Depart. Arrive.
Chi. & Cleveland Flyer ... * 7:00 am †11:15 am
Youngst'n & Cleve'd Mail ... * 8:00 am * 2:55 pm
Buffalo & Erie Express ... * 8:35 pm † 2:55 pm
Lake Chautauqua Fast Line ... *12:50 pm * 6:00 pm
Buffalo & Erie Express ... * 4:30 pm * 6:00 am
Cleveland & Chicago Ex. ... * 4:30 pm * 1:05 am
Boston Special ... * 4:30 pm * 1:05 am
Chi. & Cleveland Flyer ... † 5:00 pm †11:15 am
Buffalo & Cleveland Ex. ... * 8:00 pm * 6:00 am
Cleve'd & Youngst'n Accom. ... * 8:20 pm * 8:30 am
Beaver Falls Accom ... * 6:30 am * 8:30 am
Beaver Falls Accom ... * 9:00 am * 6:40 am
Beaver Falls Accom ... *12:10 pm * 1:20 pm
Beaver Falls Accom ... *12:30 pm * 4:15 pm
New Castle Express ... * 4:30 pm * 7:30 pm
Bessemer Valley Express ... * 5:25 pm * 4:15 pm
Fayette City Accom ... * 6:00 pm * 8:30 am
Fayette C. & N. Haven Ex ... * 8:00 am * 6:00 am
McKeesp't & Fayette City ... †11:50 am †12:40 pm
Fayette City & N. Haven ... * 3:30 pm * 4:30 pm
Fayette City Express ... * 5:30 pm * 5:40 pm
†On Sunday from Cleveland only.
Pullman Parlor Cars for Cleveland, Buffalo and Beechmont, 10:25 a. m. and 10:25 p. m.
*Daily. †Daily except Sunday.
‡Note—6:00 p. m. train on Sundays to Youngstown only.
City ticket office, 307 Fifth ave., Park Bldg.
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BESSEMER & LAKE ERIE R. R.
Schedule in effect May 25, 1902.
Trains leave B. & O. depot, Allegheny (Eastern Standard Time) for Erie, Girard, Conneaut, Geneva, Meadville, 7:35 a. m. and 1:45 p. m. Greenville, Mercer, Grove City and Keister, 7:35 a. m., 1:15 p. m. and 5:15 p. m. All trains daily except Sunday.
E. D. COMPTON, G. P. A.
Pittsburgh, Pa.

REGISTER'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the following accounts of Executors, Administrators, Guardians and Trustees have been duly examined and passed in the office of the Register of Wills and Clerk of Orphans' Court, and will be presented to the Orphans' Court to and for Allegheny County for confirmation and allowance on or on MONDAY, June 1st, 1903.

No.	Estates.		Filed.
1	Binninger, Martin	McMaster, Wm. A., Executor	April 4, 1903
2	Beame, Charles	Kerschler, Simon, Guardian	April 4, 1903
3	Bell, Charles	Theobald, Charles, et al., Executors	April 4, 1903
4	Burger, Flora M.	Wendell, Louis, et al., Executors	April 4, 1903
5	Hamel, Rose	Lamble, John E., Administrator	April 4, 1903
6	Hamel, Margaretta L.	Hamel, John, Executor	April 4, 1903
7	Hamel, Peter	Green, Walter, Administrator	April 4, 1903
8	Hirlam, Charles A.	Carlson, Emelia, Administratrix	April 4, 1903
9	Schaning, Paul	Schaning, Johanna, Executrix	April 4, 1903
10	Davis, Max	Slater, C. O., Executor	April 4, 1903
11	Kennedy, Daniel J.	Kennedy, Chas. A., Administrator	April 4, 1903
12	Cassidy, Patrick	McCabe, John, Executor	April 4, 1903
13	Hutton, Lorena J.	Hutton, Michael, Administrator	April 4, 1903
14	Thomas, J. D.	Anderson, Trust Co., Executor	April 4, 1903
15	Hamel, John W.	Ramey, H. A., et al., Executors	April 4, 1903
16	Doherty, Wilhelmina	Doherty, George V., Administrator	April 4, 1903
17	Sauter, Barbara	Sauter, Wm., Executor	April 4, 1903
18	Patterson, Louisa	Real Estate Trust Co., Executor	April 4, 1903
19	Brooks, Benjamin Franklin King	Brooks, R. A., Administrator	April 4, 1903
20	Haas, Philippine	Haas, Jacob, Administrator	April 4, 1903
21	Doyle, Emma	Bradford, George, Administrator	April 4, 1903
22	Robb, Rebecca J.	Robb, Edward J., Jr., Administrator	April 4, 1903
23	Cook, Thomas	Good, Daniel, Executor	April 4, 1903
24	Woods, Samuel L.	Woods, Wm. R., Executor	April 4, 1903
25	Hilbert, Wm. H. J.	Hilbert, Ellen M., Administrator	April 4, 1903
26	Carlisle, Conrad	Franke, Frederick, Executor	April 4, 1903
27	Peterson, Thomas	Sanders, Jas. W., Guardian	April 4, 1903
28	McCormick, Nancy A.		
29	John S. and Mary	McCormick, Nancy S., Guardian	April 4, 1903
30	Harrington, Annie	Wilkens, Geo. F. E., Administrator	April 4, 1903
31	Mikula, Sylvain C.	Lubanda, Catharine A., Administratrix	April 4, 1903
32	Mikula, Antonia, Sr.	Mikula, Joseph F., Executor	April 4, 1903
33	Watkins, John	Watkins, Henry, Executor	April 4, 1903
34	Hoeveler, Sabina C.	Hoeveler, J. A. E., Executor	April 4, 1903
35	Frey, Joseph	Frey, Jacob, Administrator	April 4, 1903
36	Wyer, Chas. F.	Wyer, Chas. F., Executor	April 4, 1903
37	Siedelmann, Heinrich	Siedelmann, W. F., Executor	April 4, 1903
38	Cook, Catherine	Cook, William, Executor	April 4, 1903
39	Robinson, John W.	Robinson, Nancy B., Administratrix	April 17, 1903
40	McFarland, Wm. H.	McFarland, D. Howard, Guardian	April 17, 1903
41	Simon, Maria L.	Simon, Wm. et al, Executor	April 18, 1903
42	Stoner, Charles	Craft, C. C., Executor	April 18, 1903
43	Gruber, Margaret	Gruber, Agnes, Executrix	April 18, 1903
44	Gruber, Agnes	Gruber, Agnes, Administratrix	April 18, 1903
45	Townsend, James F.	Sharpe, Jas. C., Administrator	April 20, 1903
46	Davis, Margaret C.	Davis, Hugh C., Administrator	April 20, 1903
47	Rhine, Lizzie	Rhine, Barbara, Executrix	April 20, 1903
48	Robinson, Virginia N.	Klotter, F. H., Jr., Guardian	April 20, 1903
49	Sherrick, Emma L.	Sherrick, George W., Administrator	April 20, 1903
50	Halas, Peter	Hirsh, Joseph, Executor	April 20, 1903
51	Hoffman, Bridget	Hamberger, Thos. F., Administrator	April 20, 1903
52	McKee, George	Neidhamer, H. B., Executor	April 21, 1903
53	Boyer, James	Phillips, W. T., Administrator	April 21, 1903
54	Irwin, Alexander H.	Irwin, Elizabeth, Administratrix	April 21, 1903
55	Kennedy, Margaret	Kennedy, Margaret, Administratrix	April 21, 1903
56	Fidelis, Daisy F.	Thompson, Theodore, Guardian	April 21, 1903
57	Grubb, Valentine	Wertenbaker, Jacob A., Administrator	April 21, 1903
58	Hawthorn, Hugh	Hice, P. S., Administrator	April 21, 1903
59	Rhodes, John	Rhodes, Verona A., Administratrix	April 21, 1903
60	Lyon, Bridget	Bradberry, Wm. T., Guardian	April 21, 1903
61	Lewis, Marcus W.	Reisher, Chas. Jr., et al., Executors	April 21, 1903
62	Schellinger, John Jacob	Collins, Jas. W., Administrator	April 21, 1903
63	Kennedy, John M., Jr.	Johnson, Alice E., Executrix	April 22, 1903
64	Wilbert, alias Lambert, Margaret	Kennedy, John M., Administrator	April 22, 1903
65		Wilbert, Andrew P., Administrator	April 22, 1903
66	Crawford, Howard L.		
67	Bringman, Burt H.	Bringman, Burt H., Guardian	April 24, 1903
68	Brooks, Walter T.	Coulter, A. C., Administrator	April 24, 1903
69	Lowe, Jennie	Lauer, Anna Maria, et al., Executors	April 24, 1903
70	Tobin, Lottie	Wiseman, Linda, Administratrix	April 24, 1903
71	Thompson, Thomas D.	Thompson, Jas. D., Administrator	April 25, 1903
72	Schlegel, Mary	Fehr, Geo. B., Administrator	April 25, 1903
73	Atkinson, Grace	Reuter, Wm., Executor	April 27, 1903
74	Stevenson, Wm.	Stevenson, John W., Executor	April 27, 1903
75	Stevenson, Mary	Stevenson, John W., Executor	April 27, 1903
76	Cowden, Mary E.	Cowden, H. Clay, Executor	April 27, 1903
77	Crystal, Hermann	Adair, Walton B., Administrator	April 27, 1903
78	Crystal, Margaret	Adair, Walton B., Administratrix	April 27, 1903
79	Crichton, James, Sr.	Rees, L. B. D., Administrator	April 27, 1903
80	Crystal, Hermann	Adair, Walton B., Administrator	April 27, 1903
81	Crystal, Margaret	Adair, Walton B., Administratrix	April 27, 1903
82	Meeks, Laura F.	Meeks, Charles W., Administrator	April 27, 1903
83	Boyd, Frank R.	Boyd, Charles W., Administrator	April 27, 1903
84	Wilson, J. M.	Wilson, Jas. M., Administrator	April 27, 1903
85	Neely, David F.	Bradberry, Wm. T., Guardian	April 27, 1903
86	Gilmer, Victor	Grimer, John J., et al., Administrators	April 27, 1903
87	Weyers, Rebekah M.	Star, Robert H., Guardian	April 27, 1903
88	Weyers, Frederick	Weyers, Frederick V., Executor	April 27, 1903
89	Weudel, Henry	Weltenkamp, Fred, Administrator	April 27, 1903
90	Wendel, Joseph	Schmid, Andrew, Administrator	April 27, 1903
91	Hammerschmitt, Amelia	Yaeger, Conrad, Guardian	April 27, 1903
92	Miller, Mary C.	Miller, Wm. J., Administrator	April 27, 1903
93	Stewart, Samuel D.	Stewart, Thos. et al, Executors	April 27, 1903
94	Stewart, Charles L.	Stewart, Alexander, Administrator	April 27, 1903
95	Stewart, Eva M.	Stewart, Chas. C., Guardian	April 27, 1903
96	Mayfield, Mary E.	Mayfield, Wm. F., Administrator	April 27, 1903
97	Mosier, John Charles	Hosack, Geo. M., Administrator	April 27, 1903
98	Walsh, William	Boyle, James, et al., Executors	April 27, 1903
99	Nathaniel, Daniel J.	Nathaniel, John, Administrator	April 27, 1903
100	Hagenah, Christ. F.	Hagenah, Jos. W., et al., Executors	April 27, 1903
101	Hagenah, William	Hagenah, Jos. W., Administrator	April 27, 1903
102	Foster, Charles	Van Meaderen, F. et al., Administrators	April 27, 1903
103	Dunning, John	Crowe, Joseph, Executor	April 27, 1903
104	Thompson, Wm. P.	Thompson, Henry, Executor	April 27, 1903
105	Carson, James M.	Carson, Lewis, Administrator	April 27, 1903
106	Mahaffey, Jas. P.	Dallinger, D. L., Executor	April 27, 1903
107	Mahaffey, Jas. P.	Rhodes, Jas. R., Administrator	April 27, 1903
108	Mahaffey, Margaret	Rhodes, Geo. M., Executor	April 27, 1903
109	Scott, James W.	Smith, H. W., Administrator	April 27, 1903
110	Keith, Conrad	Keith, John, Executor	May 1, 1903
111	Rosen, Conrad	Rosenthal, Elma, Administratrix	May 1, 1903
112	Schwarz, Wm.	Shandel, S. Reed, et al., Executors	May 1, 1903
113	Shuey, John	Young, Edward A., Executor	May 1, 1903
114	Patterson, Wm. R.	Nevin, James M., Executor	May 1, 1903
115	McCandless, Cary C.	McCandless, J. W., Administrator	May 1, 1903
116	Mahaffey, Andrew	Mahaffey, Andrew F., Administrator	May 1, 1903
117	Thaw, Wm.	Equitable Trust Co., Trustee	May 1, 1903
118	Mitchell, Daniel	Mitchell, Cornelius, Executor	May 1, 1903
119	Rhodes, Ellen	Equitable Trust Co., Administrator	May 1, 1903
120	Rhodes, Ellen	Equitable Trust Co., Administrator	May 1, 1903
121	Davis,